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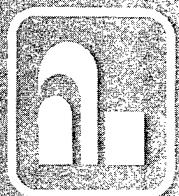
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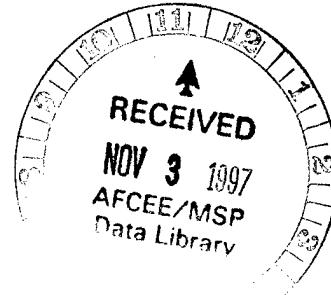
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Subject: Operation and Maintenance Manual, Record Drawings, and Summary  
of Initial Results for the Expanded Bioventing System Installed at  
SWMU 55 (IRP Site FT-03), Charleston AFB, SC  
(Contract F41624-92-8036, Delivery Order 17)

Dear Major Marchand:

This letter transmits three copies of the Operation and Maintenance (O&M) Manual prepared for the expanded bioventing system recently installed at SWMU 55, also known as IRP Site FT-03 (Former Fire Training Area 3), located at Charleston Air Force Base (AFB), South Carolina. Throughout this letter report, the site will be referenced as Site FT-03 for consistency with previous AFCEE-funded bioventing studies and reports for this site. Appendix A of the O&M Manual contains record drawings for the installed system.

This letter report also provides a summary of the work performed by Parsons Engineering Science, Inc. (Parsons ES) at the site from February through June 1997. Included in this report are the initial bioventing system operating parameters and sampling results. Copies of this letter and the O&M Manual also have been sent to Mr. Al Urrutia, the point of contact at Charleston AFB.

### Summary of Field Activities

In October 1992, Parsons ES (formerly Engineering-Science Inc. [ES]) installed a bioventing pilot test system at Site FT-03 to remediate soils impacted by jet fuels, reclaimable mixed fuels, and other flammable wastes that were used during fire training exercises at the site. The pilot-scale system was composed of one 4-inch diameter horizontal vent well (HVV), four permanent soil vapor monitoring points (MPs) and several temporary soil MPs installed in fuel-impacted soils on the north side of the burn pit. A single 1-HP blower was used for the pilot-scale system. The pilot-scale system was operated and monitored by Parsons ES as a pilot study for one year, from November 1992 through November 1993. Following the one-year pilot study, the Base operated the pilot test blower system for another 3.5 years.

Based on positive results from the one-year bioventing pilot test, funding was provided by the Air Force Center for Environmental Excellence (AFCEE) to expand bioventing treatment of vadose zone soils at Site FT-03. An expanded bioventing system

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consisting of one new 4-inch diameter HVW; six new MPs, a new blower system, and associated piping, controls, and electrical service was installed at the site. Three of the four existing permanent MPs installed during previous pilot testing efforts (MPB, MPC, MPD) will continue to be used to monitor system performance. The original pilot test vent well (VW-1) was incorporated into the full-scale system for air injection. The regenerative blower system that had been used for pilot-scale testing was shut down, dismantled and moved to a storage area on the base.

The new system was installed by Parsons ES and subcontractors during three mobilizations. The first mobilization occurred between February 25-27, 1997 for installation of the new HVW (VW-2) and new MPs at the site. The second mobilization occurred from April 21-30, 1997, during which the blower systems, the electrical systems, and most of the piping systems were installed. Inclement weather and poor site conditions delayed further work at the site until May 8, 1997 when the third mobilization was initiated. Utility trenches were completed, the piping system was pressure tested, and final site grading and cleanup was completed during the third mobilization. The system at Site FT-03 was installed as described in the Final-Interim Measures Work Plan, Expanded Bioventing System, SWMU 55 (IRP Site FT-03), Charleston Air Force Base, South Carolina (Parsons ES, 1997). There were no deviations from the work plan during system installation. Figure 1 (attached) shows the site layout with the locations of the bioventing system components. Additional record drawings showing the final design details of the system components are provided in the enclosed O&M Manual.

### **Summary of Initial Sampling Results**

Five soil samples and five soil gas samples were collected by Parsons ES for laboratory analysis during expanded system installation and prior to system startup. The soil samples were collected from boreholes installed for the MPs. Additionally, five shallow exploratory soil borings (BH-96-1 through BH-96-5) were advanced around the site to further define the extent of soil contamination (Figure 1). Field screening showed that soil samples from exploratory borings BH-96-1, BH-96-2, and BH-96-5 had VOC headspace readings ranging from 13 to 192 parts per million by volume (ppmv), indicating that these soils were not significantly impacted by fuels. Soil samples collected from borings BH-96-3 and BH-96-4 had maximum headspace VOCs readings of >2,500 ppmv and 819 ppmv, respectively.

Soil samples were analyzed by Intertek Testing Services (formerly Inchcape Testing Services) of Richardson, Texas. Analyses included the following: volatile organic hydrocarbons (including benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and xylenes [BTEX] and chlorinated hydrocarbons) by Method SW-8260a; total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH) by Method SW-8015 modified for diesel-range organic (DRO) extractables and gasoline range organic (GRO) purgeables as jet fuel; polynuclear aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) and semi-volatile organic compounds (SVOCs) by Method SW-8270; and metals by Method SW-6010 and SW-7060. The Method SW-8260a analysis was substituted for the combined SW-8020 and SW-8010 analyses, which were originally specified in the Interim Measures Work Plan report (Parsons ES, 1997). Method SW-8260a includes all

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the analytes of concern that are detected by the combined methods SW-8020/SW-8010. Method SW-8260a also includes the Trimethylbenzene isomers.

The soil gas samples were analyzed by Air Toxics, Ltd. of Folsom, California for BTEX and total volatile hydrocarbons (TVH) by Method TO-3. Prior to the collection of laboratory soil gas samples, soil gas samples from existing and newly-installed MPs were analyzed in the field by Parsons ES for oxygen, carbon dioxide, and TVH using direct-reading instruments. The results of the field screening were used to select the samples submitted for laboratory analysis. Soil and soil gas sampling results are summarized in Tables 1 and 2 (attached), respectively, and sampling locations are shown on Figure 1.

Vapor-phase and residual hydrocarbons were detected in subsurface soils at the site. Soil gas laboratory analyses detected TVH concentrations up to 10,000 parts per million by volume (ppmv) and vapor-phase BTEX compounds also were detected. Residual soil hydrocarbons are found throughout the former burn pit area, and heavy fuel staining was apparent in the soils during installation of the new HVW. Soil contamination is generally distributed throughout the vadose zone, from the ground surface to the water table. The water table occurs at depths of approximately 4 to 5 feet bgs near the center of the site.

Based on soil sampling results, the soil TPH concentrations appear to be highest in the immediate vicinity of the former burn pit. The highest detected TPH concentration (combined DRO and GRO) was 5,890 milligrams per kilogram (mg/kg) at MPF, as shown in Table 1. Sample MPG-(2.5) had a combined TPH-DRO and TPH-GRO concentration of 2,523 mg/kg. BTEX compounds were detected in each of the five soil samples. SVOC compounds also were detected in four of the five soil samples. Baseline soil TPH concentrations detected during the previous pilot study initiated in 1992 ranged from 51 milligrams per kilogram (mg/kg) to 2,200 mg/kg on the north side of the burn pit (ES, 1993).

Soil laboratory analyses confirm previous soil gas survey results (Parsons ES, 1997) and indicate that soil hydrocarbon contamination has not migrated far from the source areas. Low oxygen and high TVH concentrations were measured in soil gas samples collected from the MPs on the south side of the site, indicating the presence of widespread vapor-phase contamination and anaerobic conditions. Baseline soil gas samples collected from MPs on the north side of the burn pit had significantly higher oxygen concentrations (see Tables 2 and 4). Although the north side of the burn pit had undergone 4.5 years of bioventing treatment prior to operating the expanded bioventing system, limited oxygen utilization, indicative of microbial biorepiration, was still occurring in these soils.

### **Initial Operation Parameters**

The expanded bioventing system was started on May 20, 1997. The system pressures and air injection rate for each HVW was adjusted twice during the next three weeks to allow the system to reach equilibrium and assure optimum air distribution to the contaminated soils. On June 11, 1997, air was being injected into vent well VW-1 at a rate of approximately 12.9 cubic feet per minute (cfm) and air was being injected into well VW-2 at a rate of approximately 24.8 cfm at a blower pressure of 57.5 inches of

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water. During this time, pressure responses measured at the MPs ranged from a maximum of 33 inches of water at MPG-(3.3), to a minimum of 1.36 inches of water at MPC-(3.2). The pressure relief valve was readjusted and the pressure was subsequently reduced to 50 inches of water. Air flows to the HVWs at this reduced pressure were 9.8 cfm (VW-1) and 18.5 cfm (VW-2). Subsequent measurements demonstrate that the system pressures and flow rates fluctuate over time, probably due to changes soil moisture and the water table elevation. Based on pressure response measurements, it appeared that most of the areas of contaminated soil designated for bioventing treatment were being influenced by the expanded system (Table 3).

Oxygen, carbon dioxide, and TVH soil gas concentrations also were measured at the MPs before and after system optimization to confirm that the entire soil volume designated for remediation is being oxygenated (greater than 10 percent oxygen) by the expanded bioventing system. The area of oxygen influence designated for remediation is shown on Figure 1. This general area was designated for remediation based on soil gas survey results from June 1996 (Parsons ES, 1997). Soil gas oxygen concentrations measured in May and June 1997 during the expanded system operation exceeded 10 percent in all but one of the MPs located within the area designated for remediation. Soil gas oxygen measurements indicated that shallow soils at MPE were not receiving sufficient oxygen (see Table 4). The lack of significant oxygen influence at MPE after several months of bioventing appears to be a localized anomaly. Point MPE is located 30 feet from the nearest VW-2; however other MPs located between 25 to 36 feet from the same HVW are receiving sufficient oxygen (e.g. MPH, MPJ, MW3-13; see Table 4). It is possible that some sort of buried obstruction is located between MPE and VW-2, which could minimize soil gas migration in this area. Table 4 summarizes the soil gas oxygen concentrations measured after one month of full-scale system operation.

### **Operation, Maintenance and Monitoring**

This site has been funded for one year of system monitoring services under Option 1 of the AFCEE-sponsored Extended Bioventing Project. Option 1 involves O&M support for 1 year and system monitoring at the end of the year. The O&M support period began following system start-up and will continue until June 1998. In mid-June 1998, Parsons ES will request Charleston AFB to shut down the blower unit. The blower unit will remain off for one month to allow subsurface conditions to equilibrate. In mid-July 1998, Parsons ES will return to the site to perform additional respiration testing and soil gas sampling. The results of these monitoring activities will be used to develop recommendations for further action at this site. Results and recommendations will be provided to AFCEE and Charleston AFB in a brief letter report. If significant cleanup of contaminated soils has been achieved based on the monitoring results, Parsons ES will recommend that closure soil sampling (Option 2) be performed at the site.

### **Potential Vapor Migration**

Ambient air monitoring was conducted during startup of the expanded system. Monitoring results indicate that operation of the expanded bioventing system does not produce any detectable emissions in the breathing zone above background levels. Very

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low TVH readings (i.e. <20 ppmv) were initially measured at the ground surface at several locations around the edges of the plastic surface seal during system startup. However, these TVH concentrations quickly declined and are no longer detectable.

Migration of fuel vapors through subsurface soils also was monitored during system startup. These results show that system operation will not result in offsite hydrocarbon vapor migration. As shown on Table 4, soil gas TVH concentrations decreased at all but two MPs after a month of operation. Two MPs (MPC, MPE) showed slight to moderate increases in soil gas TVH concentrations as a result of air injection at the HVWs. However, these vapor-phase hydrocarbons will be biodegraded as they move through the soils. Potential vapor migration through the soils does not pose any significant site risks since this is a remote site that does not have on-site workers or buried utilities and structures that could collect fuel vapors.

If you have any questions or comments regarding the information contained in this letter or in the enclosed O&M Manual, please contact me at (919) 677-0080 or John Ratz at (303) 831-8100.

Sincerely,

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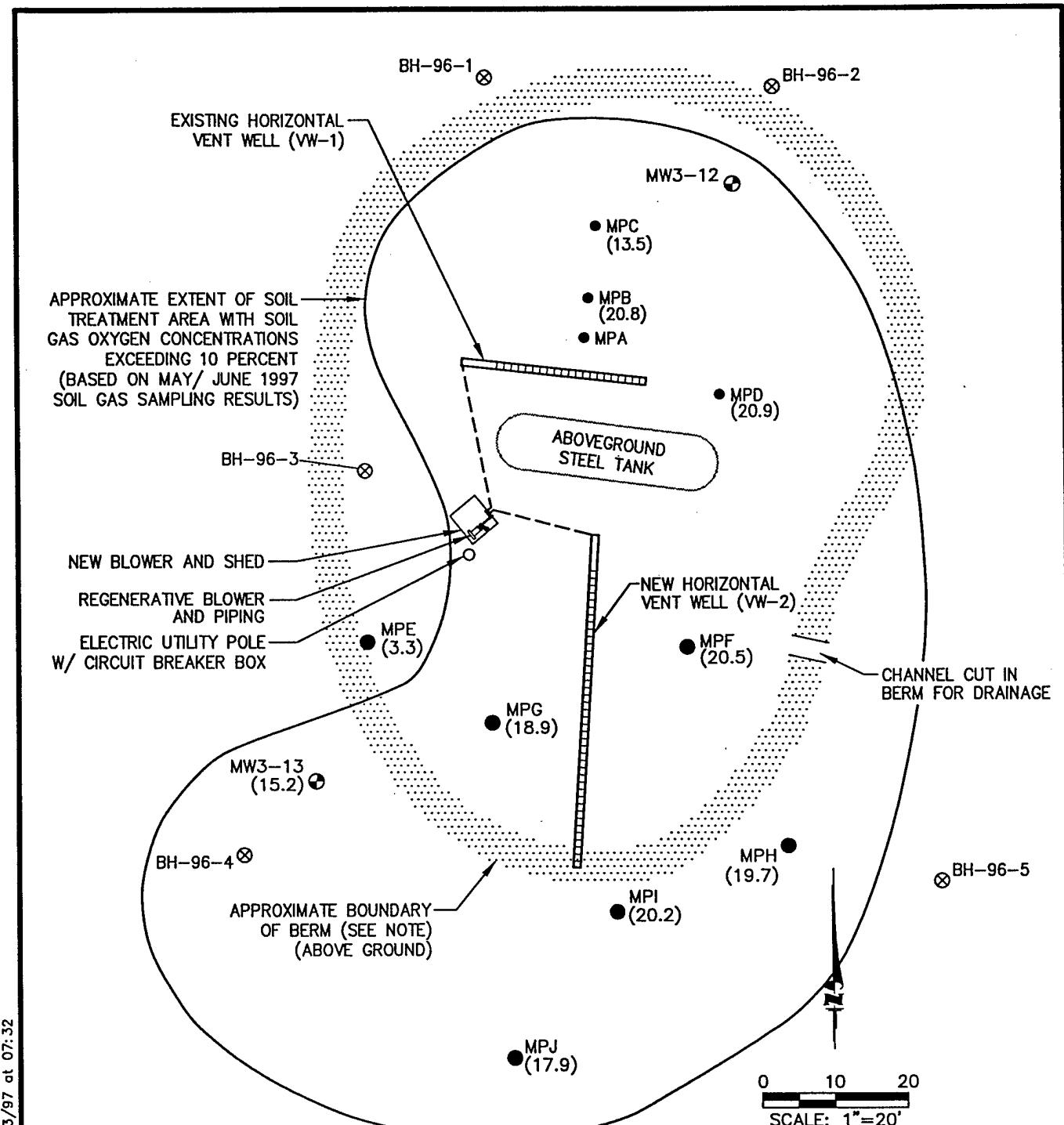
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Enclosure: O&M Manual

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#### LEGEND

- MW3-12 ● GROUNDWATER MONITORING WELL
- MPF ● SOIL VAPOR MONITORING POINT
- (20.5) SOIL GAS OXYGEN CONCENTRATION (%)
- BH-96-5 ⊗ SOIL BORING/ SAMPLING LOCATION
- AIR INJECTION HEADER PIPE (BURIED)

#### NOTE:

SOIL BERM HAS APPROXIMATE ELLIPTICAL DIMENSIONS AND VARYING WIDTHS, LOCATIONS OF TANK, VENT WELL AND UTILITY POLE WITHIN BERM ARE ESTIMATED.

**FIGURE 1**  
**SITE PLAN AND**  
**BIOVENTING SYSTEM**  
**LAYOUT**

Expanded Bioventing System  
SWMU 55 (Site FT-03)  
Charleston AFB, South Carolina

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**TABLE 1**  
**SOIL ANALYTICAL RESULTS<sup>a/</sup>**  
**SWMU 55 (SITE FT-03)**  
**CHARLESTON AFB, SC**

Analyte (Units) <sup>b/</sup>	Sample Location-(Depth) (feet below ground surface)				
Soil Hydrocarbons	<u>MPE-(3)</u>	<u>MPF-(2.5)</u>	<u>MPG-(2.5)</u>	<u>MPH-(1.5)</u>	<u>MPJ-(3)</u>
<b><u>TPH/VOCs</u></b>					
TPH-GRO as Jet Fuel (mg/kg)	106	1,670	513	0.4	0.38
TPH-DRO (mg/kg)	138	4,220	2,010	25.6	<10
Benzene ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{kg}$ )	17.5	<58.1 <sup>c/</sup>	<557	26.9	7.65
Toluene ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{kg}$ )	21.1	<58.1	1,230	<5.77	<6.00
Ethylbenzene ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{kg}$ )	270	1,580	4,760	28.6	15.0
Xylenes ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{kg}$ )	358.7	2,160	17,560	63.2	56.1
1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{kg}$ )	62.8	444	1,450	6.11	<6.00
1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{kg}$ )	102	2,450	12,000	34.7	<6.00
<b><u>PAHs/SVOCs</u></b>					
Benzo(a)anthracene (mg/kg)	<0.366	<1.92	<0.368	1.20	<0.396
Benzo(b)flouranthene (mg/kg)	<0.366	<1.92	<0.368	1.58	<0.396
Benzo(k)flouranthene (mg/kg)	<0.366	<1.92	<0.368	0.550	<0.396
Benzo(a)pyrene (mg/kg)	<0.366	<1.92	<0.368	0.873	<0.396
Chrysene (mg/kg)	<0.366	<1.92	<0.368	1.19	<0.396
Fluoranthene (mg/kg)	<0.366	<1.92	<0.368	2.45	<0.396
Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene (mg/kg)	<0.366	<1.92	<0.368	0.382	<0.396
2-Methylnaphthalene (mg/kg)	0.397	15.2	4.73	<0.381	<0.396
Naphthalene (mg/kg)	<0.366	9.58	4.19	<0.381	<0.396
Phenanthrene (mg/kg)	<0.366	<1.92	<0.368	1.06	<0.396
Pyrene (mg/kg)	<0.366	<1.92	<0.368	2.62	<0.396
<b><u>Soil Metals</u></b>					
Arsenic (mg/kg)	1.89	4.09	1.53	2.19	2.28
Barium (mg/kg)	16.8	16.9	18.3	23.3	18.4
Cadmium (mg/kg)	<0.55	<0.58	1.26	<0.58	<0.60
Chromium (mg/kg)	6.74	12.8	6.23	17.5	7.22
Lead (mg/kg)	15.1	51.5	30.5	<11.5	12.2

<sup>a/</sup>Soil samples collected February 25-26, 1997.

<sup>b/</sup>(mg/kg) = milligrams per kilogram. ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{kg}$ ) = micrograms per kilogram (Results reported on a dry weight basis)

<sup>c/</sup>Compound analyzed for, but was below quantitation detection limit. Number shown represents the quantitation limit.

TPH = Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons; GRO = gasoline range organics; DRO = diesel range organics

Note: Laboratory analysis for VOCs by Method SW-8260; for TPH by Methods 3550/5030 and SW-8015 (mod.); for polynuclear aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs)/SVOCs by Method SW-8270; for metals by EPA Methods 6010A and 7060. Only those analytes that were detected in one or more soil samples are listed in table.

**TABLE 2**  
**INITIAL SOIL GAS FIELD AND LABORATORY ANALYTICAL RESULTS<sup>a</sup>**  
**SWMU 55 (SITE FT-03)**  
**CHARLESTON AFB, SC**

Sample Location	Screen Depth (feet)	Field Screening Data			Laboratory Analytical Data			
		Oxygen (%)	Carbon Dioxide (%)	TVH (ppmv) <sup>b</sup>	TVH (ppmv)	Benzene (ppmv)	Toluene (ppmv)	Ethylbenzene (ppmv)
MPB	3.5	18.5	0.8	170	---	---	---	---
MPC	3.2	10.5	1.8	140	---	---	---	---
MPD	3.9	15.2	1.5	140	---	---	---	---
MPE	3.2	0.5	8.0	4,200	10,000	20M <sup>d</sup>	120M	31
MPF	3.3	0.0	7.8	2,000	3,000	4	7.6	16
MPG	3.3	2.0	7.0	5,600	9,600	25M	100M	37
MPH	2.8	3.4	6.5	8,200	8,200	47	14	9.5
MPI	3.0	0.8	7.0	5,400	---	---	---	90
MPJ	3.0	2.2	7.5	4,800	6,300	24	14	22M
MW3-13	5.8-7	0.0	4.3	8,000				5.2

<sup>a</sup> Soil gas field screening samples collected on 25 April 1997. Soil gas samples for laboratory analyses collected on 29 April 1997.

<sup>b</sup> TVH = total volatile hydrocarbon results reported in parts per million, volume per volume. Field screening results exclude methane.

<sup>c</sup> --- = not analyzed.

<sup>d</sup> M = reported value may be biased due to apparent matrix interferences.

**TABLE 3**  
**MAXIMUM PRESSURE RESPONSE AT SYSTEM**  
**VAPOR MONITORING POINTS**

**SWMU 55 (SITE FT-03)**  
**CHARLESTON AFB, SC**

**AIR INJECTION PRESSURES AND FLOW RATES**

VW-1: 12.9 cfm at a blower pressure of 57.5 in. H<sub>2</sub>O

VW-2: 24.8 cfm at a blower pressure of 57.5 in. H<sub>2</sub>O

Monitoring Location	Distance From Nearest VW (feet)	Screen Depth (feet bgs) <sup>a/</sup>	Maximum Pressure Response <sup>b/</sup> (inches of water)
MPB	10	3.5	2.42
MPC	20	3.2	1.36
MPD	10	3.9	5.40
MPE	30	3.2	18.5
MPF	12	3.3	28.5
MPG	12.5	3.3	33.0
MPH	29	2.8	21.0
MPI	12	3.0	28.0
MPJ	26.5	3.0	10.81
MW3-13	36	5.8-7	17.95

<sup>a/</sup> bgs = below ground surface.

<sup>b/</sup> Measurements taken on 11 June 1997 unless otherwise indicated. Note, soil gas pressures intended to represent long-term operating conditions. Readings fluctuated during the first month of system startup. Final blower operating pressure was reduced to 50 inches of water on 12 June 1997.

**TABLE 4**  
**AIR INJECTION INFLUENCE ON SOIL OXYGEN**  
**CONCENTRATIONS AT SYSTEM MONITORING POINTS**

**SWMU 55 (Site FT-03)**  
**CHARLESTON AFB, SC**

Monitoring Point Location	Distance From Nearest HVW (feet)	Screen Depth (feet bgs) <sup>a/</sup>	Initial Oxygen <sup>b/</sup> (%)	Final Oxygen <sup>c/</sup> (%)	Initial TVH <sup>b/</sup> (ppmv)	Final TVH <sup>c/</sup> (ppmv)
MPB	10.0	3.5	18.5	20.8	170	12
MPC	20.0	3.2	10.5	13.5 <sup>d</sup>	140	170
MPD	10.0	3.9	15.2	20.9	140	16
MPE	30.0	3.2	0.5	3.3 <sup>d</sup>	4,200	6,000
MPF	12.0	3.3	0.0	20.5	2,000	27
MPG	12.5	3.3	2.0	18.9	5,600	1,600
MPH	29.0	2.8	3.4	19.7	8,200	140
MPI	12.0	3.0	0.8	20.2	5,400	17
MPJ	26.5	3.0	2.2	17.9	4,800	84
MW3-13	36.0	5.8-7	0.0	15.2	8,000	3,000

<sup>a/</sup> bgs = below ground surface.

<sup>b/</sup> Measurements taken on 25 April 1997 for all MPs and MW3-13; MPF was remeasured on 28 April 1997 (data for this date shown in table). All readings collected prior to air injection.

<sup>c/</sup> Measurements taken on 11 June 1997 except as noted.

<sup>d/</sup> Value for MPC is reported as the maximum oxygen concentration observed after system startup, measured on 22 May 1997. The maximum oxygen concentration observed at MPE was 9.6% on 22 May 1997, but subsequent oxygen readings were lower at MPE (11 June 1997 data are shown). The screen on point MPC was submerged on 11 June 1997.

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## SECTION 1

### INTRODUCTION

This Operations and Maintenance (O&M) Manual has been created as a guide for monitoring and maintaining the performance of the expanded bioventing blower system and vent well plumbing at Solid Waste Management Unit (SWMU) 55 (Site FT-03, Former Fire Protection Training Area No. 3), Charleston AFB, South Carolina. Hereafter in this document, SWMU 55 will be referenced as Site FT-03 to be consistent with previous bioventing reports developed for this site. Record drawings of the expanded bioventing system installed at Site FT-03 are provided in Appendix A.

Bioventing is the forced injection of fresh air, or withdrawal of soil gas, to enhance the supply of oxygen in subsurface soils to promote *in situ* bioremediation of organic fuel compounds. A blower system is used to inject air into the soil, thereby supplying fresh atmospheric air (containing approximately 20.8 percent oxygen) to fuel-contaminated soils. Once oxygen is provided to the subsurface, existing soil bacteria aerobically metabolize the fuel residuals. Aerobic biodegradation is much more efficient than anaerobic biodegradation, which occurs in oxygen-depleted soils.

A pilot-scale bioventing system was installed and operated by Parsons Engineering Science, Inc. (Parsons ES; formerly Engineering-Science, Inc.) at the site from November 1992 through November 1993. The pilot-scale system consisted of one horizontal vent well (HVW) and four soil vapor monitoring points (MPs) installed on the north side of the former burn pit. Pilot test monitoring results showed that a large portion of the site was not being affected by the air injection, specifically areas on the south side of the burn pit.

Parsons ES installed a full-scale bioventing system to address the soil oxygen deficiency in areas with remaining soil contamination that were not treated by the pilot-scale system. The full-scale air injection bioventing system consists of a new air injection blower, a new HVW, six new soil gas MPs, and associated piping. The existing HVW and MPs used in the pilot-scale system were incorporated into the full-scale system. The new system was installed at the site from February, 1997 through May, 1997. The air injection rates of the full-scale bioventing system were optimized at each HVW to assure adequate aeration of contaminated soils to promote aerobic biodegradation. Soil gas monitoring performed in May and June 1997, after several weeks of operating both HVWs, indicates the majority of the area designated for bioventing treatment is receiving sufficient oxygen. Oxygen increases were observed at all soil gas MPs monitored at the site. Most of the subsurface soils in the treatment area are receiving oxygen concentrations greater 17%, although several locations have shown less significant increases in soil gas oxygen content.

Charleston AFB personnel are responsible for routine monitoring of the bioventing system. Parsons ES has trained Charleston AFB personnel on the maintenance requirements of this plan. If significant problems are encountered with the operation of the system, Parsons ES should be notified so repairs can be made. Under the Extended Bioventing Project Option 1, Parsons ES is responsible for system repair for a 1-year period after system startup. Parsons ES will retain responsibility for system repair until June 1998. Should the bioventing system cease to operate or develop a significant problem, please call the Parsons ES Site Manager, Mr. Grant Watkins, at (919) 677-0080, or Mr. John Ratz, at (303) 831-8100. If the system ceases to operate, first have a base electrician verify that adequate power is being supplied to the bioventing system blower motor prior to notifying Parsons ES.

## SECTION 2

### SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

#### **2.1 BLOWER SYSTEM**

A Gast® R4P115 blower, powered by a 1.5-horsepower direct drive motor, was installed at Site FT-03 on April 21-30, 1997. The blower was installed in a separate enclosure set on a concrete pad. The R4P115 blower is rated as having a maximum flow rate of 127 standard cubic feet per minute (scfm) at open flow and a maximum pressure rating of 65 inches of water. As installed, the single blower is manifolded to inject atmospheric air into vent well VW-1 on the north side of the burn pit, and into vent well VW-2 on the south side of the burn pit.

The expanded bioventing system was started on May 20, 1997. The system pressures and air injection rate for each HVW were adjusted twice during the next three weeks to allow the system to reach equilibrium and assure optimum air distribution to the contaminated soils. Final blower readings representative of longer term system performance were obtained on June 11-12, 1997. During the initial measurements taken on June 11, 1997, air was being injected into vent well VW-1 at a rate of approximately 12.9 actual cubic feet per minute (acf m) and into well VW-2 at a rate of approximately 24.8 acfm at a blower pressure of 57.5 inches of water. The pressure relief valve was readjusted and the blower pressure was subsequently reduced to 50 inches of water. The final adjusted air flows to the HVWs at this reduced pressure were 9.8 acfm (VW-1) and 18.5 acfm (VW-2) as measured on June 12, 1997. Flow was optimized to each HVW based on 1) the degree of hydrocarbon contamination present within soils in the vicinity of each HVW, 2) the amount of oxygen measured at surrounding MPs following three weeks of operation, and 3) limitations to air injection due to variations in site physical characteristics. Generally, higher air flow rates are being used at VW-2 since there is a significantly larger area of contaminated soil remaining on the south end of the site and vent well VW-2 has a longer screen interval than well VW-1.

The blower system includes an inlet air filter to remove any particulates which are entrained in the inlet air stream and several valves and monitoring gauges which are described in Section 2.2. A schematic of the expanded blower system installed at Site FT-03 is shown in Appendix A. Corresponding blower performance curves and relevant service information are provided in Appendix B. Blower system data collection sheets for use by base personnel are provided in Appendix C.

#### **2.2 MONITORING AND FLOW CONTROL EQUIPMENT**

##### **2.2.1 Monitoring Gauges**

The bioventing system is equipped with vacuum, pressure, and temperature gauges, and air velocity measurement ports. Gauges have been installed on the air injection system at the following locations: a vacuum gauge in the inlet piping and pressure and temperature gauges in the outlet piping of the blower.

##### **2.2.2 Flow Control Equipment**

Manual and automatic flow control valves (FCVs) have been installed on the bioventing blower system. Manual FCVs have been installed in the piping leading to each HVW to enable the air flow rate to each HVW to be adjusted individually. An automatic FCV, or pressure relief

valve (PRV), is used to protect the blower system from burning out if pressures rise due to pipe blockage. The automatic PRV is set to bleed off air flow at a preset pressure and thus prevent blower outlet pressure from ever achieving the maximum pressure rating of the blower (i.e. 65 inches of water). The automatic PRV has been set for pressure relief to begin at approximately 50 inches of water back pressure on the blower.

An additional manual FCV (air bleed valve) has been installed to control the total air flow out of the blower by releasing excess air flow to the atmosphere. The FCVs have been set by Parsons ES personnel to deliver a calculated amount of air to each HVW and should not be adjusted unless directed to do so by Parsons ES personnel.

The blower system also has been equipped with air flow measurement ports. These ports consist of brass bushings installed in the outlet piping leading to each HVW. These bushings, which should be plugged during system operation, allow the insertion of a thermal anemometer for the measurement of air velocity. These ports are used by Parsons ES for system optimization and should not be opened unless air flow measurements are being collected.

Although the blower system installed at Site FT-03 is relatively maintenance free, periodic system maintenance is required for proper operation and long life. Recommended maintenance procedures and schedule are described in detail in the instruction manuals included in Appendix B and briefly summarized in this section.

Filter inspection must be performed with the system turned off. Do not change the flow control valve settings (valves have been pre-set for a specific flow rate) before re-starting the blower.

## SECTION 3

### SYSTEM MAINTENANCE

#### **3.1 BLOWER/MOTOR**

The blower and its motor are relatively maintenance free and should not require any maintenance during the operational period. Both the blower and motor have sealed bearings and do not require lubrication.

#### **3.2 AIR FILTER**

To avoid damage caused by passing solids through the blower, an air filter has been installed in-line before the blower. The paper filter element is accompanied by a polyurethane foam pre-filter. The filter should be checked weekly for the first 2 months of operation. A facility employee should determine the best schedule for filter replacement based on the first 2 months of system monitoring. The polyurethane pre-filters can be washed with lukewarm water and a mild detergent. Paper filter elements should never be washed, and should be disposed of and replaced as necessary. When the vacuum drop across the filter increases by approximately 5 inches of water compared to the vacuum when the filter was new, a dirty filter element should be suspected. Cleaning or replacement of the filter should then be performed. The initial vacuum when the filter element was new was 4.5 inches of water as measured during final system optimization. Therefore, the filters should be cleaned or replaced when the vacuum increases to about 9.5 inches of water for the blower air intake. Typical filter element replacement intervals range from 3 to 6 months.

To remove the filter, turn the system off by pushing the electrical disconnect switch (on the adjacent electrical utility pole) to the "off" position. Then, loosen the three clamps or the wing nut on the filter top, lift the metal top off the air filter, and lift the air filter element from the metal housing. Remove the polyurethane pre-filter (if applicable) and wash before replacing.

The filter element is manufactured by Solberg Manufacturing, Inc. in Itasca, Illinois. Their toll free telephone number is 1-800-451-0642. Additional filters can also be obtained through Parsons ES. The Parsons ES contacts are Mr. Grant Watkins, at (919) 677-0080, and Mr. John Ratz, at (303) 831-8100. The part number for the replacement filter element is 30P. Four spare air filter elements have been placed inside each blower enclosure.

#### **3.3 MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE**

The following maintenance schedule is recommended for the blower system. During the initial few months of operation more frequent monitoring is recommended to ensure that any startup problems are quickly corrected. A daily drive-by inspection is recommended during the initial 2 weeks of operation to ensure that the blower system is still operating with no unusual sounds. Thereafter, monitoring inspections every 2 weeks are recommended (see Section 4). Preprinted data collection sheets have been provided to the facility. Extra data collection sheets for recording maintenance activities are provided in Appendix C.

<u>Maintenance Item</u>	<u>Maintenance Frequency</u>
Filter	Check once every 2 weeks, wash or replace as necessary (see Section 3.3). Inlet vacuum exceeding 9.5 inches of water indicates that the filter requires cleaning or replacement.

### **3.4 MAJOR REPAIRS**

Regenerative blowers are very reliable when properly maintained. Occasionally, however, a motor or blower will develop a serious problem. If the blower system fails to start, and a qualified electrician verifies that power is available at the blower or starter, Parsons ES should be contacted to arrange for repairs. The Parsons ES contacts are Mr. Grant Watkins, at (919) 677-0080, and Mr. John Ratz, at (303) 831-8100. Parsons ES is responsible for major repairs during the first year of operation.

## SECTION 4

### SYSTEM MONITORING

#### **4.1 BLOWER PERFORMANCE MONITORING**

To monitor the blower's performance, the vacuum, pressure, and temperature will be measured. These data should be recorded every 2 weeks on a data collection sheet (provided in Appendix C). All measurements should be taken at the same time while the system is running. Because the system is noisy inside the enclosure, hearing protection should be worn at all times.

##### **4.1.1 Vacuum/Pressure**

With hearing protection in place, unlock and open the blower enclosure (the enclosure lid should be supported by the two metal pipes located inside each of the enclosures). Record all vacuum and pressure readings directly from the gauges (in inches of water) for the blower. Record the measurements on the data collection sheet.

##### **4.1.2 Temperature**

With hearing protection in place, open the blower enclosure and record the temperature reading directly from the gauge in degrees Fahrenheit ( $^{\circ}$ F). Record the measurement on a data collection sheet (provided in Appendix C). The temperature change can be converted to degrees Celsius ( $^{\circ}$ C) using the formula  $^{\circ}$ C = ( $^{\circ}$ F - 32)  $\times$  5/9. Temperatures of the operating blower system have varied from about 130-160  $^{\circ}$ F and will change slightly (decrease) once the enclosure lid is opened.

#### **4.2 MONITORING SCHEDULE**

The following monitoring schedule is recommended for the system. During the initial month of operation, more frequent monitoring is recommended to ensure that any start up problems are quickly corrected. Data collection sheets have been provided to assist your data collection and are included in Appendix C.

<u>Monitoring Item</u>	<u>Monitoring Frequency</u>
Vacuum/Pressure	Once every 2 weeks.
Temperature	Once every 2 weeks.

#### **4.3 REPORTING MONITORING RESULTS**

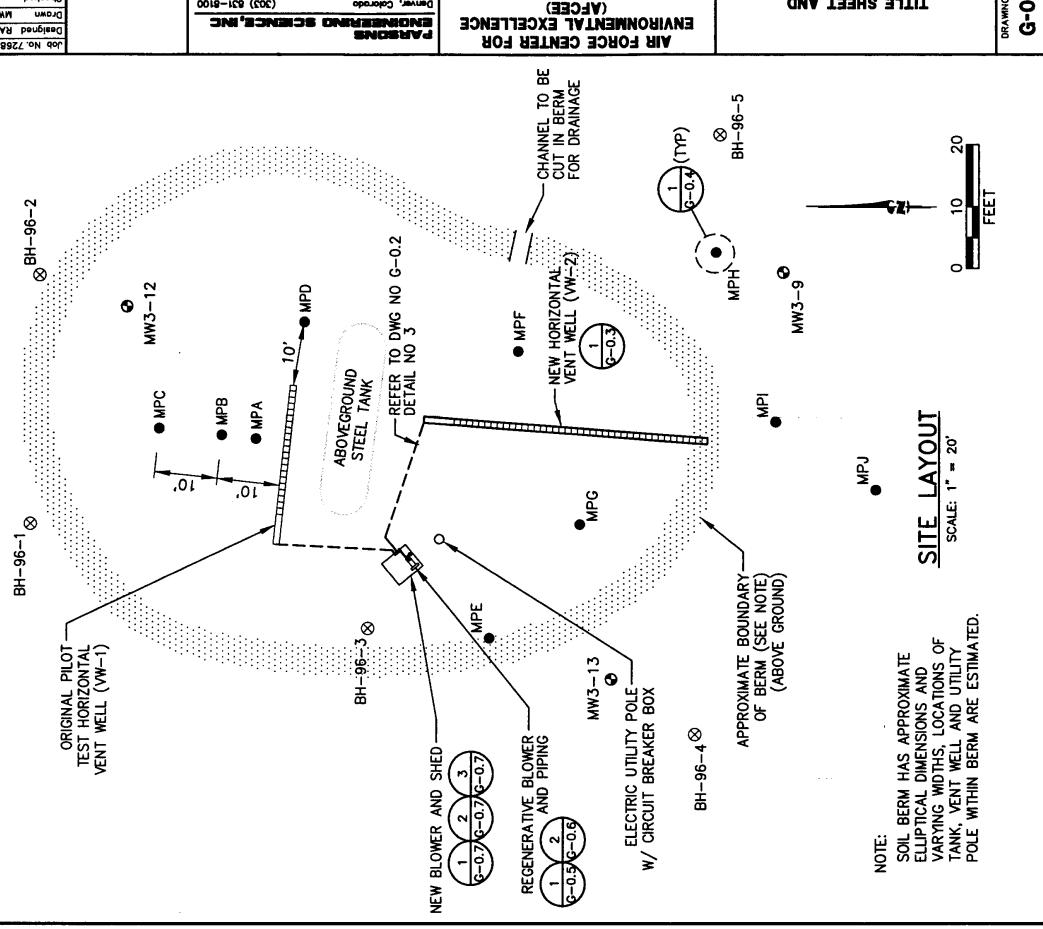
System monitoring data sheets should be faxed to the Parsons ES Site Manager, Mr. Grant Watkins (919) 677-0080, once every 2 months. However, if a significant change in the system temperature or pressures are noted (such as a significant drop or increase in pressure) please call Mr. Watkins immediately. A significant change in system temperature or pressure may be indicative of a problem with the air delivery system or blower.

**APPENDIX A**  
**RECORD DRAWINGS**

**RECORD DRAWINGS FOR  
EXPANDED BIOVENTING SYSTEM  
SWMU 55 (SITE FT-03)  
CHARLESTON AIR FORCE BASE  
PREPARED FOR  
AFCEE  
JULY 1997**

**DRAWING INDEX**

DRAWING NO	DRAWING NAME
G-0.1	TITLE SHEET AND SITE LAYOUT
G-0.2	LEGEND AND STANDARD TRENCH DETAILS
G-0.3	VENT WELL STANDARD DETAIL
G-0.4	MONITORING POINT STANDARD DETAIL
G-0.5	BLOWER P & ID
G-0.6	BLOWER PIPING LAYOUT DETAIL
G-0.7	BLOWER SHED FIELD INSTALLATION DETAIL AND BLOWER SHED CONSTRUCTION DETAIL



## ABBREVIATIONS

AIR INJECTION	
APPROXIMATE	
ASTM	AMERICAN SOCIETY OF TESTING AND MATERIALS
AT	CENTER BACK MOUNT
CBM	CLEAR
CLR	DIAMETER
DIA	EXPLORATORY BORING
DNC	ECCENTRIC
EB	EACH WAY
EW	FLAT ON TOP
FOT	FEMALE PIPE THREAD
FT	FOOT
GALV	GALVANIZED STEEL
HDPF	HIGH DENSITY POLYETHYLENE
IE	FOR EXAMPLE
LW	LOWER MOUNT
MAX	MAXIMUM
MIL	MILLIMETER
MIN	MINIMUM
MP	MONITORING POINT
MPT	MALE PIPE THREAD
NO. #	NATIONAL PIPE THREAD
NPT	NOT TO SCALE
NTS	ON CENTER
OC	OUTSIDE DIAMETER
OO	POUNDS PER SQUARE INCH
PSI	POLYVINYL CHLORIDE
PVC	PROPOSED WELL
PW	REDUCER
REF	REFERENCE
SCH	SCHEDULE
SOCKET	SOCKET
SPVC	SLOTTED POLYVINYL CHLORIDE
ST. STL.	STAINLESS STEEL
TYP	UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK
UST	VENT WELL
VW	WITH
W/	WELD NECK
NN	WELDED WIRE FABRIC
NNF	

## SYMBOLS

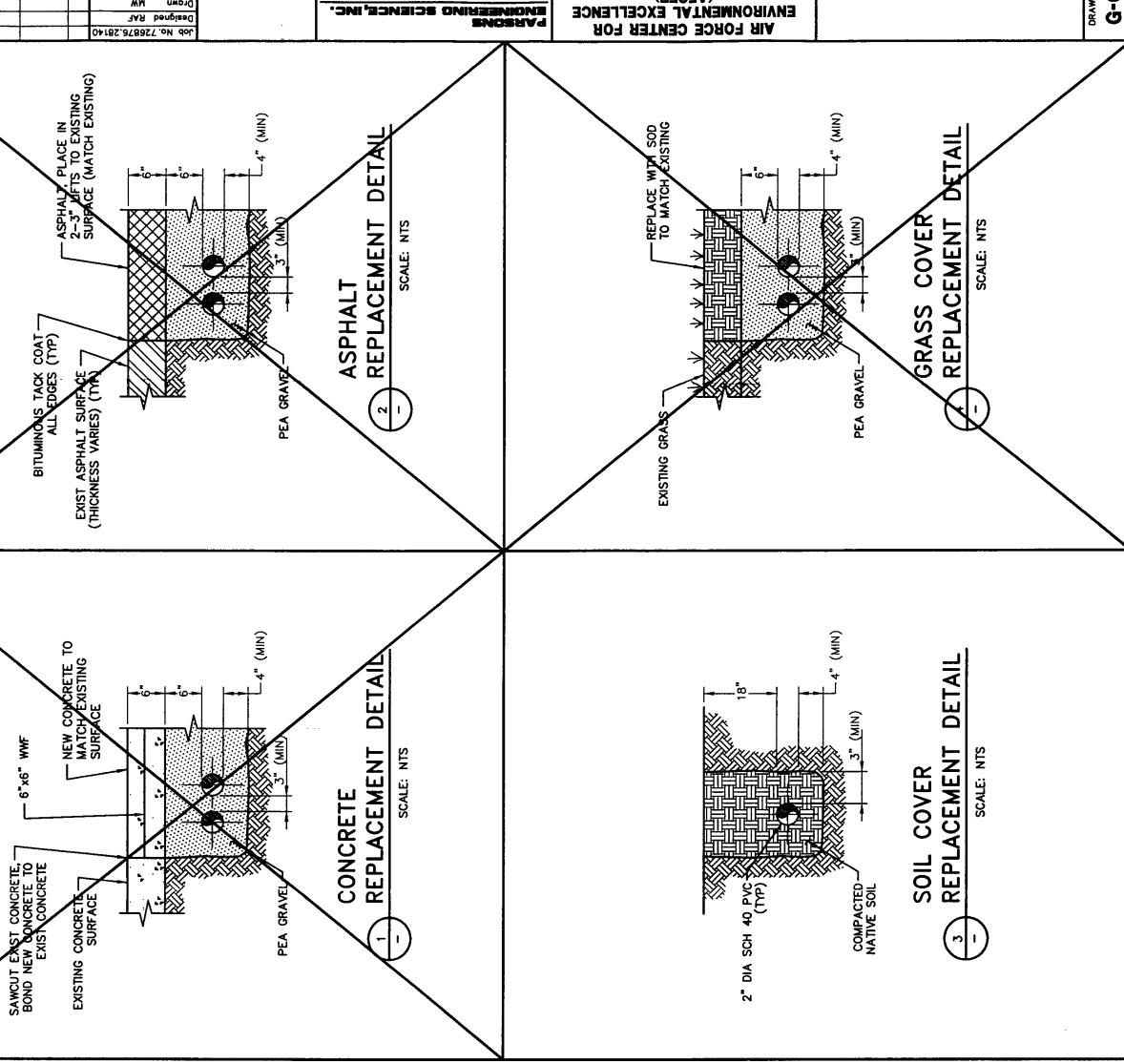
- MPC ● EXISTING BIVENTING MONITORING POINT
- MPE O PROPOSED BIVENTING MONITORING POINT
- BH-96-1 ⑧ PROPOSED SOIL BORING
- 3-7 ⑧ GROUNDWATER MONITORING WELL
- BERM
- — — PROPOSED HEADER PIPE TO VENT WELL

## PIPE MATERIAL

- CS CARBON STEEL
- GALV GALVANIZED STEEL
- PVC POLYVINYL CHLORIDE
- SPVC SCREENED POLYVINYL CHLORIDE
- AIR AIR INJECTION
- BIV BIVENTING
- DR DRAIN

## LEGEND AND STANDARD TRENCH DETAILS

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REV **B**



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SMU 55 SITE F-03  
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**MONITORING POINT (MP) DETAIL**

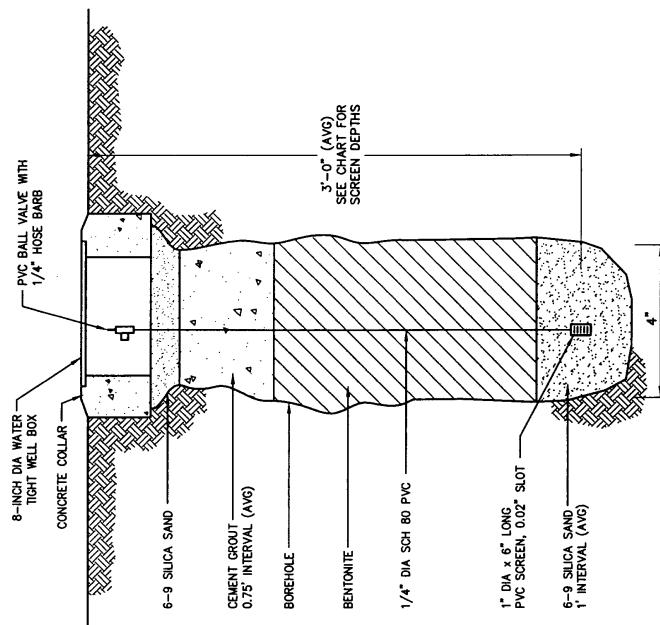
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MPF	3.3'	2.6' - 3.3'
MPG	3.5'	2.8' - 3.5'
MPH	3.2'	2.5' - 3.2'
MPJ	3.2'	2.5' - 3.0'
MPJ	3.1'	2.5' - 3.0'

**MONITORING POINT (MP) DETAIL**

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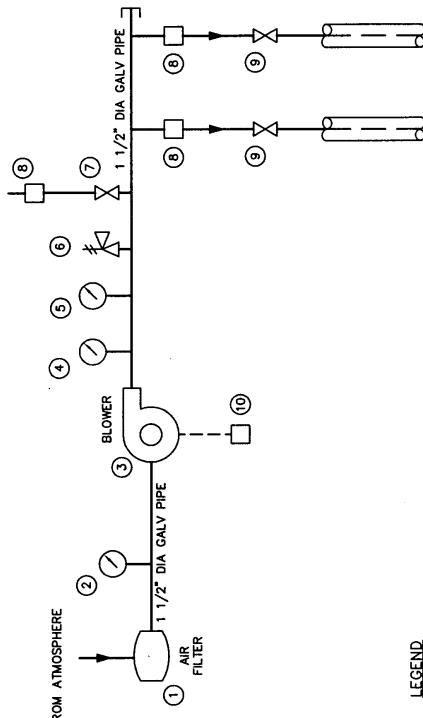
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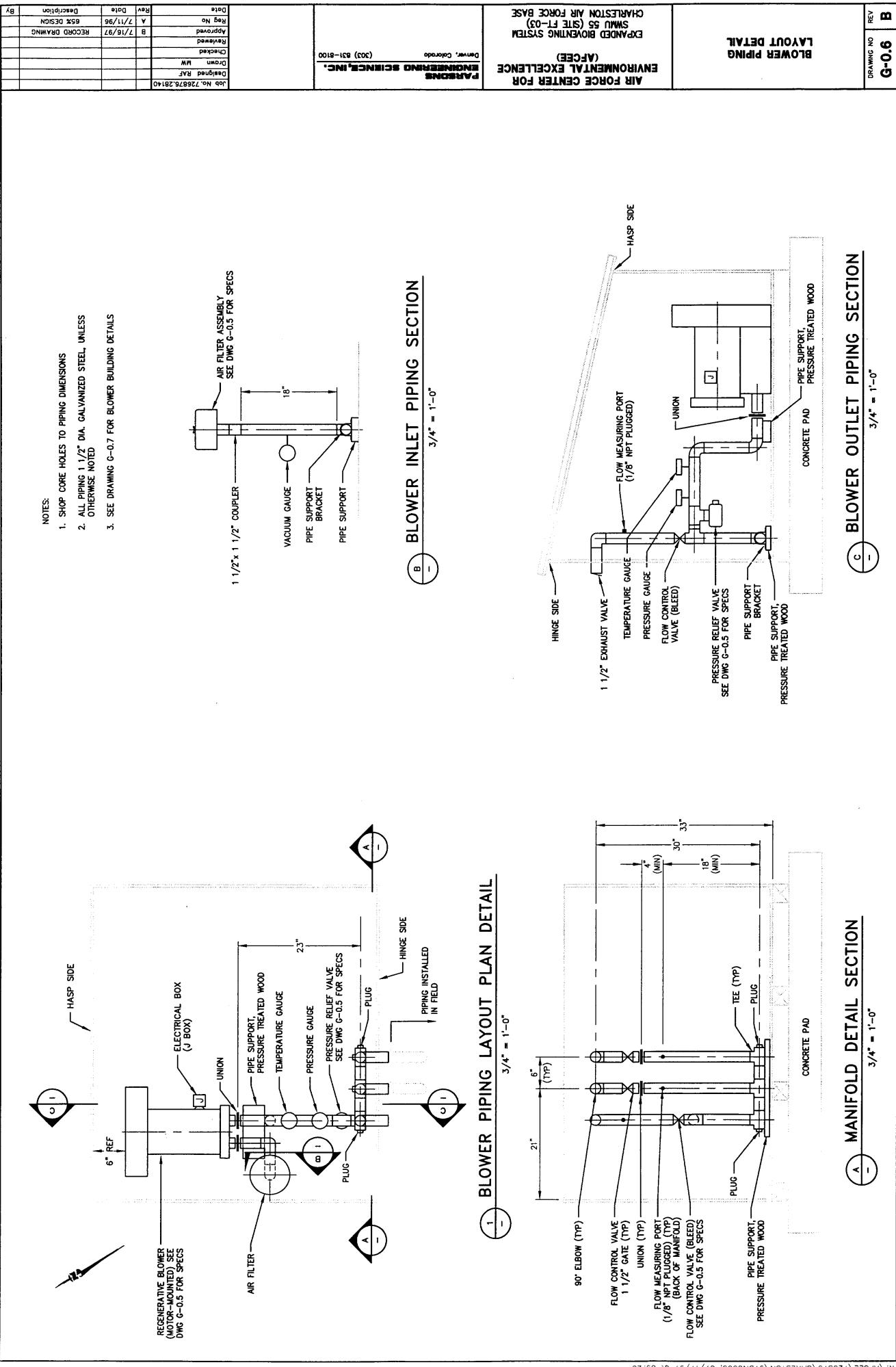
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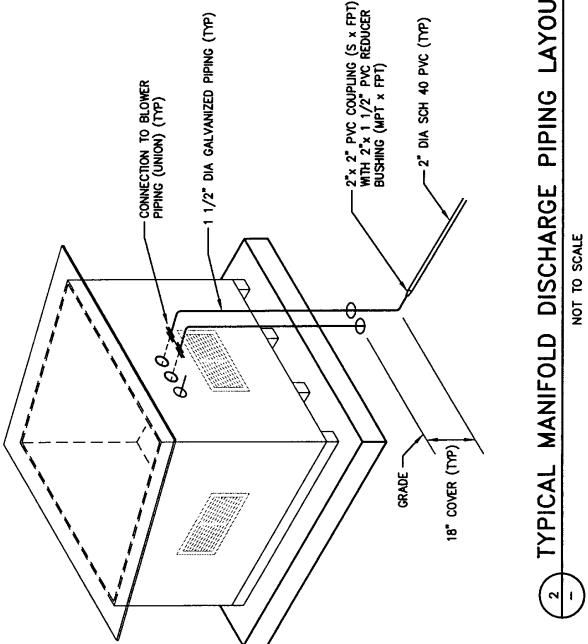
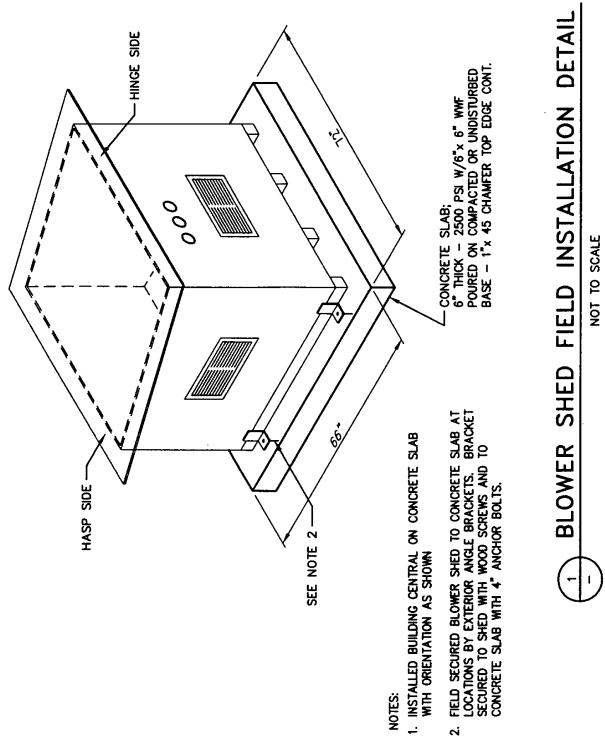
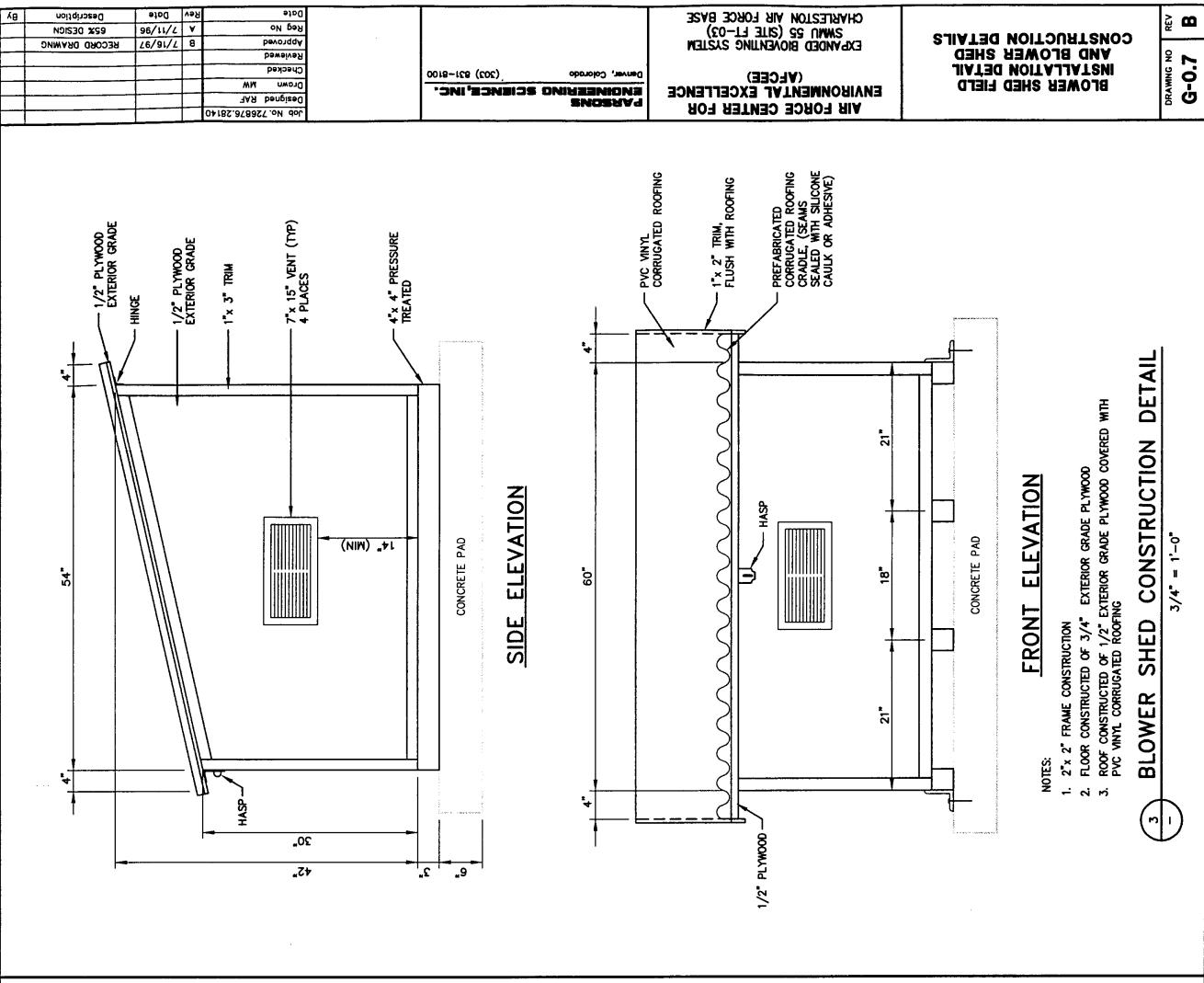


1 BLOWER PIPING AND INSTRUMENTATION DIAGRAM

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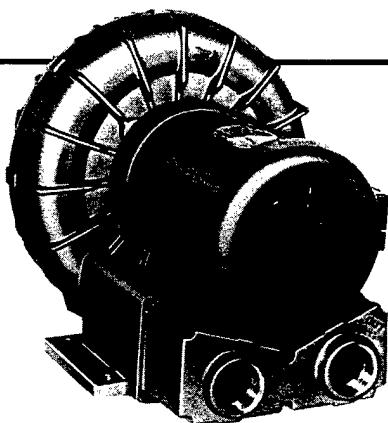




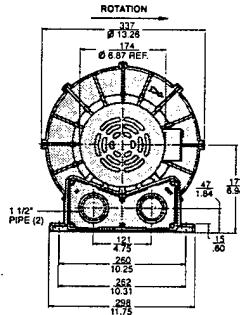
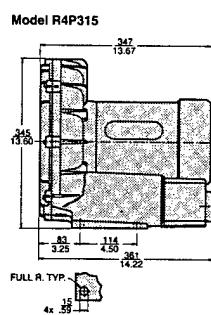
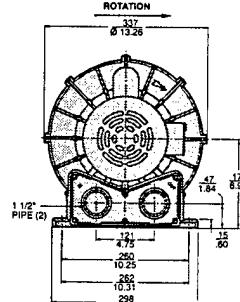
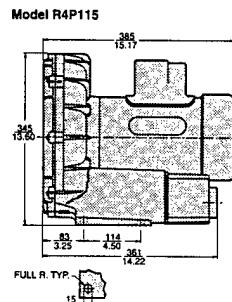
**APPENDIX B**

**REGENERATIVE BLOWER INFORMATION**

# **Oilless Regenerative Blowers, Motor Mounted to 127 cfm**



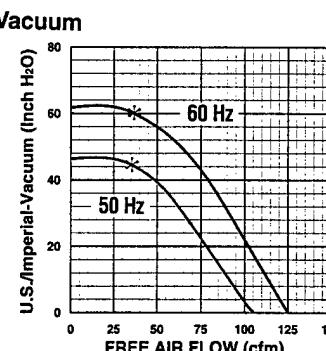
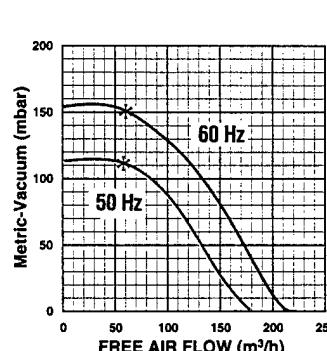
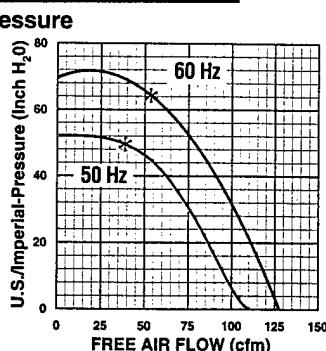
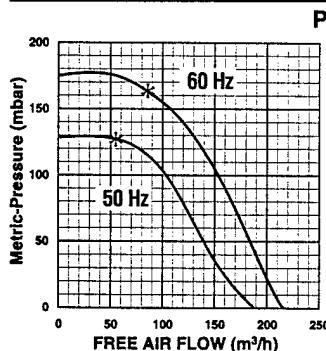
**Product Dimensions Metric (mm) U.S. Imperial (inches)**



## **Product Specifications**

Model Number	Motor Specs	Full Load Amps	Locked Rotor Amps	HP	RPM	Max Vac "H <sub>2</sub> O	Max Pressure "H <sub>2</sub> O	Max Flow cfm	Net Wt. lbs.	Net Wt. kg	
R4P115	110/220-240-50-1	16.0/8.0-9.3	49.0 @ 230V	1.0	2850	45	112	50	125	110	
	115/208-230-60-1	20.7/11.2-10.4		1.5	3450	60	149	65	162	127	
R4P315A	190/220/380-415-50-3	3.9-4.3/1.9-2.0	18.5 @ 460V	1.0	2850	43	107	47	117	110	
	208-230/460-60-3	5.1-4.9/2.5		1.5	3450	59	147	63	157	127	

## **Product Performance (Metric U.S. Imperial)**



\*Recommended maximum duty.

## **REGENAIR® R4P Series**

### **MODEL R4P115**

65" H<sub>2</sub>O MAX. PRESSURE, 127 CFM OPEN FLOW  
60" H<sub>2</sub>O MAX. VACUUM, 125 CFM OPEN FLOW

### **MODEL R4P315A**

63" H<sub>2</sub>O MAX. PRESSURE, 127 CFM OPEN FLOW  
59" H<sub>2</sub>O MAX. VACUUM, 125 CFM OPEN FLOW

## **PRODUCT FEATURES**

- Oilless operation
- TEFC motor mounted
- Can be mounted in any plane
- Rugged construction/low maintenance
- Class B insulation on motors
- Automatic restart thermal protection on single phase models

## **COMMON MOTOR OPTIONS**

- 115/208-230V, 60 Hz; 110/220-240V, 50 Hz, single phase
- 208-230/460V, 60 Hz; 190-220/380-415V, 50 Hz, three phase

## **RECOMMENDED ACCESSORIES**

- Pressure gauge AE133
- Filter AJ126D (pressure)
- Vacuum gauge AJ497
- In-line filter AJ151E (vacuum)
- Muffler AJ121D
- Relief valve AG258
- Nema motor starter size – 1/0 (R4P115), 00/00 (R4P315A), for 60 Hz operation
- Moisture separator RMS200 (vacuum)

Various brand name motors are used on any model at the discretion of Gast Mfg. Corp.

## **Important Notice:**

Pictorial, performance and dimensional data is subject to change without notice.

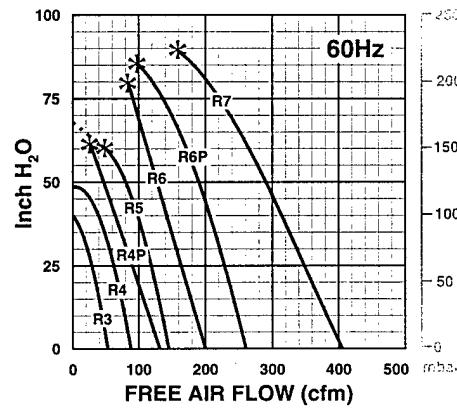
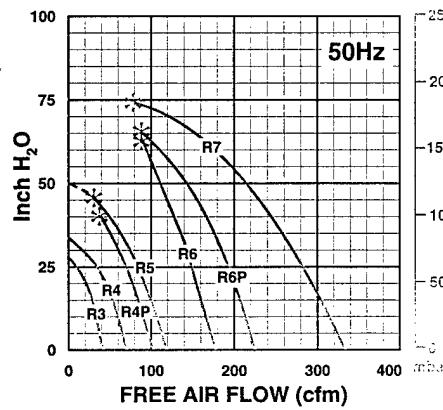
# SOIL VAPOR EXTRACTION PUMPS - REGENERATIVE BLOWERS

## Product Specifications

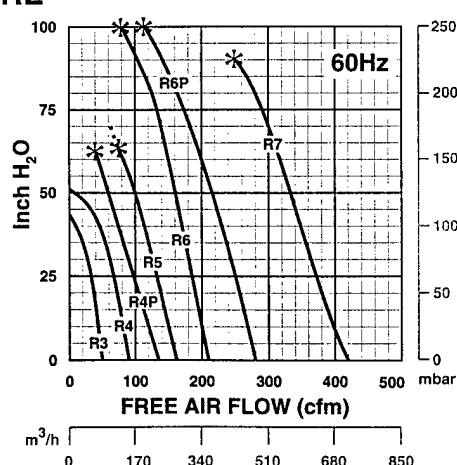
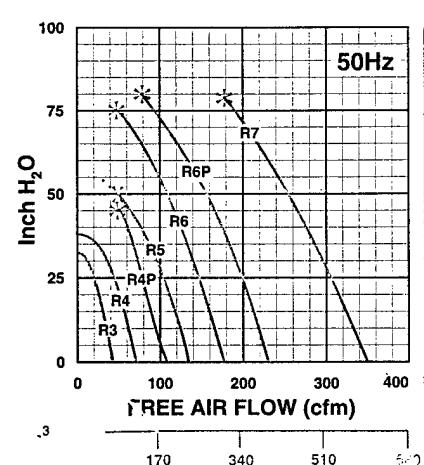
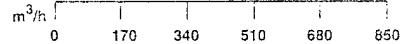
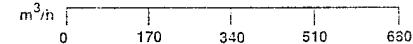
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			Voltages	HP	Full Load Amps						
R3105N-50	Single	50	110/220-240	.33	3.8/1.9-2.0	28	70	31	77	43	73
		60	115/208-230	0.5	5.2/2.9-2.6	40	100	43	107	53	90
R4110N-50	Single	50	110/220-240	0.6	9.2/5.2-4.6	35	87	38	95	74	126
		60	115/208-230	1.0	11.4/6.2-5.6	48	120	51	127	92	156
R4310P-50	Three	50	220/380	0.6	3.2/1.6	35	87	38	95	74	126
		60	208-230/460	1.0	3.4-3.3/1.65	48	120	51	127	92	156
R4P115N-50	Single	50	110/220-240	1.0	15.2/7.6-8	40	100	45	112	112	190
		60	115/208-230	1.5	18.2/9.7-9.1	60	149	65	162	133	226
R5125Q-50	Single	60	115/230	2.0	25/12.5	60	149	55	137	160	272
R5325R-50	Three	50	190-220/380-415	1.5	5.0-4.4/2.5-2.6	47	117	50	125	133	226
		60	208-230/460	2.0	6.0-5.6/2.8	60	149	65	162	160	272
R6130Q-50	Single	50	220-240	2.5	14.7-13.5	65	162	75	187	182	309
		60	230	3.0	16.3	70	174	60	149	215	365
R6340R-50	Three	50	190-220/380-415	3.0	14.4-13.4/7.2-6.8	65	162	75	187	180	306
		60	208-230/460	4.0	13-12/6	80	199	100	249	215	365
R6P155Q-50	Single	50	220-240	4.0	20.8-19.1	65	162	80	199	235	399
		60	230	5.5	29.9	85	212	95	237	280	476
R6P355R-50	Three	50	190-220/380-415	4.5	14.9-11/7.45-5.8	65	162	80	199	232	394
		60	208-230/460	6.0	20-18/9	85	212	100	249	280	476
R7100R-50	Three	50	190-220/380-415	8.0	20.8-18.9/10.4-9.5	72	179	80	199	350	595
		60	208-230/460	10.0	26.5-24/12	90	224	90	224	420	714

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## VACUUM



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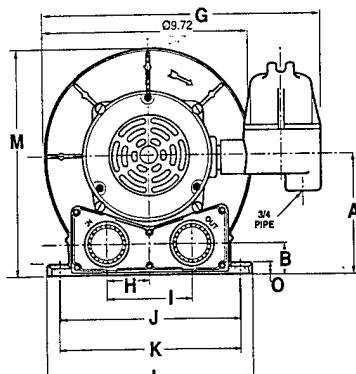
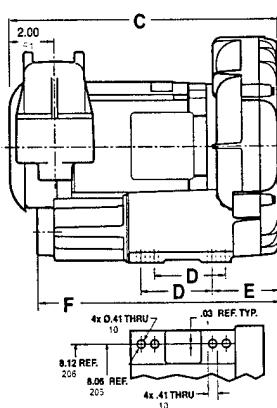


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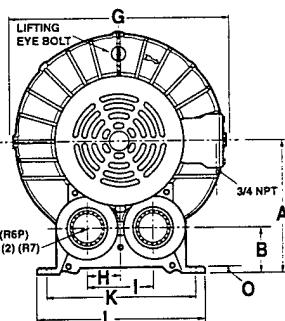
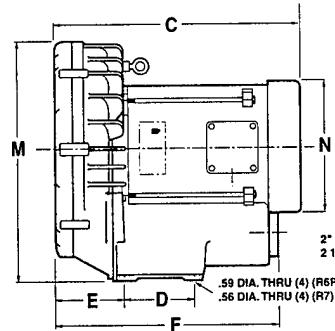
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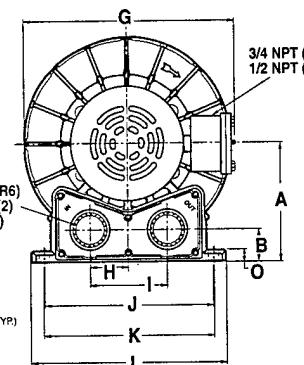
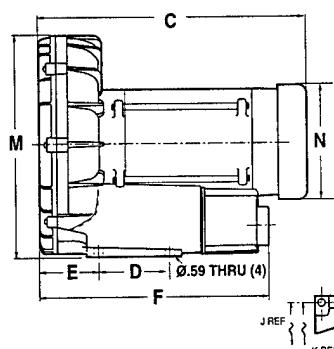
Model R3



Models R6P, R7



Models R4, R4P, R5, R6



**Product Dimensions** Metric (mm)

U.S. Imperial (inches)

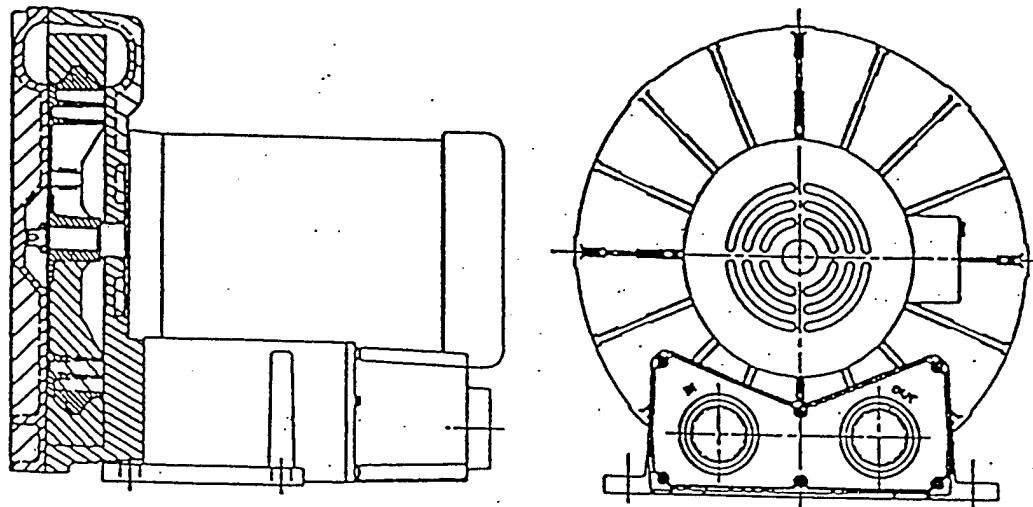
Model	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
R3105N-50	131 5.17	85 1.37	12.20 3.25	63 3.03	80 11.06	281 12.75	324 1.94	49 3.88	99 8.06	205 8.12	206 9.38	238 10.15	252 -	- .53	.13
R4110N-50	157 6.18	43 1.68	15.30 14.03	95 3.75	72 2.85	316 12.44	313 12.31	50 1.98	101 3.96	225 8.86	227 8.93	254 10.00	293 11.73	175 6.88	.11
R4310P-50	157 6.18	43 1.68	14.03 17.41	95 4.50	72 3.25	316 13.93	313 13.31	50 2.38	101 4.75	225 10.25	227 10.31	254 11.75	293 13.6	175 6.88	.44
R4P115N-50	177 6.98	47 1.84	442 17.41	114 4.50	83 3.25	354 13.93	338 13.31	60 2.38	121 4.75	260 10.25	262 10.31	298 11.75	346 13.6	175 6.88	.15
R5125Q-50	178 7.00	46 1.82	445 17.50	114 4.50	91 3.58	361 14.22	344 13.56	60 2.38	121 4.75	260 10.25	262 10.31	298 11.75	350 13.78	173 6.81	.15
R5325R-50	178 7.00	46 1.82	423 16.66	114 4.50	91 3.58	361 14.22	344 13.56	60 2.38	121 4.75	260 10.25	262 10.31	298 11.75	350 13.78	183 7.19	.15
R6130Q-50	197 7.75	49 1.94	511 20.13	140 5.50	98 3.85	404 15.89	389 15.30	62 2.46	125 4.92	289 11.38	290 11.42	329 12.96	391 15.38	217 8.56	.13
R6340R-50	197 7.75	49 1.94	476 18.82	140 5.50	98 3.85	404 15.89	385 15.17	62 2.46	125 4.92	289 11.38	290 11.42	329 12.96	390 15.34	217 8.56	.13
R6P155Q-50	248 9.77	80 3.15	602 23.7	140 5.51	137 5.39	438 17.25	428 16.87	64 2.50	127 5.00	- -	290 11.42	325 12.80	463 18.21	257 10.12	.50
R6P355R-50	248 9.77	80 3.15	554 21.80	140 5.51	137 5.39	438 17.25	428 16.87	64 2.50	127 5.00	- -	290 11.42	325 12.80	463 18.21	257 10.12	.50
R7100R-50	274 10.79	92 3.64	577 22.72	216 8.50	212 8.33	545 21.46	457 18.00	100 3.94	200 7.88	- -	375 14.76	410 16.14	509 20.02	257 10.12	.14

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## Maintenance Instructions for Gast Standard Regenerative Blowers



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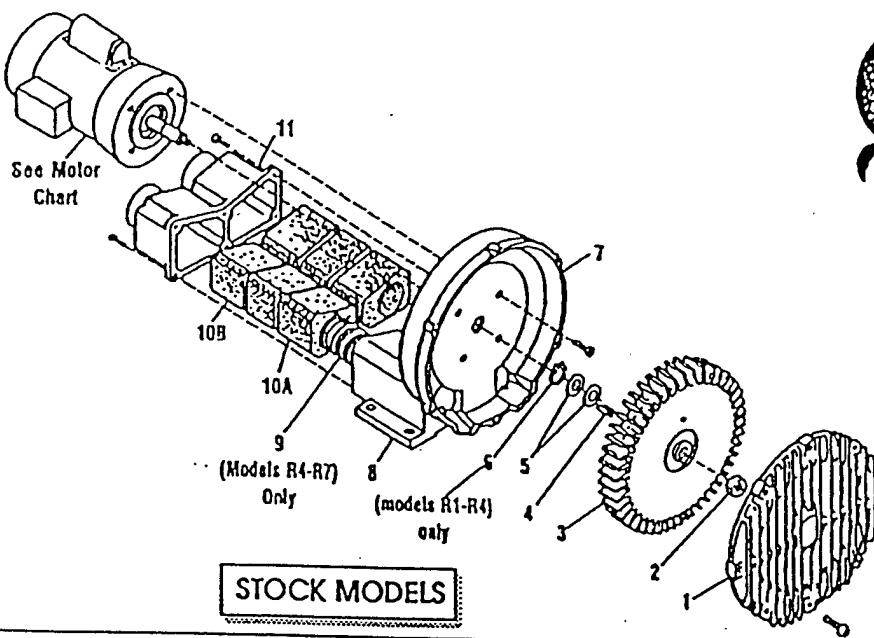
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Part Name	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5	R6	R6P	R6PP/R6PS	R7
#1 Cover	AJ101A	AJ101B	AJ101C	AJ101D	AJ101EQ	AJ101F	AJ101K	(2)AJ101KA	AJ101G
#2 Slopnut	BC187	BC187	BC181	BC181	BC181	BC181	BC181	(2)BC182	BC183
#3 Impeller	AJ102A	AJ102BQ	AJ102C	AJ102D	AJ102E	AJ102FR	AJ102K	(2)AJ102KA	AJ102GA
#4 Square Key	AH212C	AH212	AB136A	AB136D	AB136	AB136	AB136	(2)AB136	AC628
#5 Shim Spacer (s)	AJ132	AE686-3	AJ109	AJ109	AJ109	AJ116A	AJ116A	AJ116A	AJ110
#6 Retaining Ring	AJ145	AJ145	AJ149	AJ149					
#7 Housing	AJ103A	AJ103BQ	AJ103C	AJ103DR	AJ103E	AJ103F	AJ103K	AJ103KD	AJ103GA
#8 Muffler Box					AJ104E	AJ104F			
#9 Spring					AJ113DR	AJ113DQ	AJ113EQ	AJ113FQ	
#10A Foam	(4)AJ112A	(4)AJ112B	(4)AJ112C	(4)AJ112DS	(4)AJ112ER	(6)AJ112F	(8)AJ112K		AJ113G
#10B Foam					(2)AJ112BQ	(2)AJ112CQ	(2)AJ112DR	(2)AJ112EQ	(8)AJ112GA
#11 Muffler Extension/ Adapter Plate									
Shim Kit	AJ106H	AJ106BQ	AJ106CQ	AJ106DQ	AJ106FQ	AJ106FQ	AJ104K		AJ104GA
	K396	K396							K395

### MOTOR CHART

REGENAIR  
MODEL  
NUMBER

MOTOR  
NUMBER

#### MOTOR SPECIFICATIONS

MOTOR NUMBER	60 HZ VOLTS	50 HZ VOLTS	PHASE
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R1102	J111X	115/208-230	110/220-240	1
R1102C	J112X	115		1
R2103	J311X	115/208-230	110/220	1
R2105	J411X	115/208-230	110/220	1
R2303A	J310	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R2303F	J313	208-230	220	3
R3105-1/R3105-12	J411X	115/208-230	110/220-240	1
R3305A-1/R3305A-13	J410	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R4110-2	J611AX	115/208-230	110/220-240	1
R4310A-2	J610	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R5125-2	J311X	115/208-230		1
R5325A-2	J810X	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R6125-2	J811X	115/208-230		1
R6325A-2	J810X	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R6335A-2	J910X	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R6150J-2	J1013	230		1
R6360A-2	J1010	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R6P335A	J910X	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R6P350A	J1010	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R6P355A	J1110A	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R7100A-2	J1210B	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R6PP/R6PS3110M	JD1100	208-230/460	220/380-415	3

No lubrication needed at start up.  
Bearings lubricated at factory.

Motor is equipped with alemlite fitting.  
Clean tip of fitting and apply grease gun.  
Use 1 to 2 strokes of high quality ball  
bearing grease.

Consistency	Type	Typical Grease
Medium	Lithium	Shell Dolium R

Hours of service per year	Suggested Relube Interval
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5,000 3 years

Continual Normal Application 1 year

Seasonal service motor  
idle for 6 months or more 1 year beginning  
of season  
6 months

Continuous-high ambient,  
dirty or moist applications.

All performance figures relate to stock models. A few high pressure units may be available. Consult your local distributor.

Regenair Model Number	PRESSURE						Maximum Pressure "H <sub>2</sub> O"
	0°H <sub>2</sub> O	20°H <sub>2</sub> O	40°H <sub>2</sub> O	60°H <sub>2</sub> O	80°H <sub>2</sub> O	100°H <sub>2</sub> O	
R1	26	14					28
R2	42	26					38
R3105-1	52	38	14				42
R3105-12	52	36	23				55
R3305A-13	52	36	23				55
R4	90	70	50				55
R5	145	130	100				52
R6125-2	200	180					65
R6325A-2	200	180	152				35
R6335A-2	205	175	155	135			40
R6350A-2	200	180	150	130	110	80	70
R6P335A	290	250					105
R6P350A	300	260	230	200			30
R6P355A	300	260	230	200	160		60
R7100A-2	420	380	340	310	280	230	90
R6PP311OM	485	452	420	380	330		115
R6PS311OM	265	258	252	244	236	226	170

Regenair Model Number	VACUUM						Maximum Vacuum "H <sub>2</sub> O"
	0°H <sub>2</sub> O	20°H <sub>2</sub> O	40°H <sub>2</sub> O	60°H <sub>2</sub> O	80°H <sub>2</sub> O		
R1	25	14					26
R2	40	22					34
R3105-1	50	34	9				40
R3105-12	51	34	20				50
R3305A-13	51	34	20				50
R4	82	62	39				48
R5	140	115	90	50			60
R6125-2	190	155	125				45
R6325A-2	190	155	125				45
R6335A-2	190	150	125	100			75
R6350A-2	190	180	150	100	70		90
R6P335A	270	230					37
R6P350A	280	240	210	170			70
R6P355A	280	240	210	170	100		86
R7100A-2	410	350	300	250	170		90
R6PP311OM	470	425	375	320	220		80
R6PS311OM	240	225	210	195	175		130

\*This number indicates the maximum static pressure differential recommended (with cooling air still flowing through unit). In general, units 1hp or less can be dead headed. Check with local representative or distributor to verify which models apply.

Operation of the blower above the recommended maximum duty will cause premature failure due to the build up of heat damaging the components.

Performance data was determined under the following conditions:

- 1) Unit in a temperature stable condition.
- 2) Test conditions: Inlet air density at 0.075lbs. per cubic foot. (20°C(68°F), 29.92 in. Hg(14.7PSIA)).
- 3) Normal performance variations on the resistance curve within +/- 10% of supplied data can be expected.
- 4) Specifications subject to change without notice.
- 5) All performance at 60Hz operation.



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# **INSTALLATION AND OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS FOR GAST HAZARDOUS DUTY REGENAIR BLOWERS**

**This instruction applies to the following models ONLY:** R3105N-50, R4110N-50, R4310P-50, R4P115N-50, R5125Q-50, R5325R-50, R6130Q-50, R6P155Q-50, R6350R-50, R6P355R-50 and R7100R-50

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## OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS

### SAFETY

This is the safety alert symbol. When you see this symbol personal injury is possible. The degree of injury is shown by the following signal words:

**DANGER** Severe injury or death will occur if hazard is ignored.

**WARNING** Severe injury or death can occur if hazard is ignored.

**CAUTION** Minor injury or property damage can occur if hazard is ignored.

Review the following information carefully before operating.

### GENERAL INFORMATION

*This instruction applies to the following models ONLY:*

*R3105N-50, R4110N-50, R4310P-50, R4P115N-50, R5125Q-50, R5325R-50, R6130Q-50, R6P155Q-50, R6350R-50, R6P355R-50 and R7100R-50.* These blowers are intended for use in Soil Vapor Extraction Systems. The blowers are sealed at the factory for very low leakage. They are powered with a U.L. listed electric motor Class 1 Div. 1 Group D motors for Hazardous Duty locations. Ambient temperature for normal full load operation should not exceed 40° C (105° F). For higher ambient operation, contact the factory.

Gast Manufacturing Corporation may offer general application guidance; however, suitability of the particular blower and/or accessories is ultimately the responsibility of the user, not the manufacturer of the blower.

### INSTALLATION

**DANGER** Models R5325R-50, R6130Q-50, R6350R-50, R5125Q-50, R6P155Q-50, R6P355R-50 AND R7100R-50 use Pilot Duty Thermal Overload Protection. Connecting this protection to the proper control circuitry is mandated by UL674 and NEC501. Failure to do so could result in an EXPLOSION. See pages 3 and 4 for recommended wiring schematic for these models.

**WARNING** Electric shock can result from bad wiring. A qualified person must install all wiring conforming to all required safety codes. Grounding is necessary.

**WARNING** This blower is intended for use on soil vapor extraction equipment. Any other use must be approved in writing by Gast Manufacturing Corp. Install this blower in any mounting position. Do not block the flow of cooling air over the blower and motor.

**PLUMBING** - Use the threaded pipe ports for connection only. They will not support the plumbing. Be sure to use the same or larger size pipe to prevent air flow restriction and overheating of the blower. When installing fittings, be sure to use pipe thread sealant. This protects the threads in the blower housing and prevents leakage. Dirt and chips are often found in new plumbing. Do not allow them to enter the blower.

**NOISE** - Mount the unit on a solid surface that will not increase the sound. This will reduce noise and vibration. We suggest the use of shock mounts or vibration isolation material for mounting.

**ROTATION** - The Gast Regenair Blower should only rotate clockwise as viewed from the electric motor side. The casting has an arrow showing the correct direction. Confirm the proper rotation by checking air flow at the IN and OUT ports. If needed reverse rotation of three phase motors by changing the position of any two of the power line wires.

### OPERATION

**WARNING** Solid or liquid material exiting the blower or piping can cause eye damage or skin cuts. Keep away from air stream.

**WARNING** - Gast Manufacturing Corporation will not knowingly specify, design or build any blower for installation in a hazardous, combustible or explosive location without a motor conforming to the proper NEMA or U.L. standards. Blowers with standard TEFC motors should never be utilized for soil vapor extraction applications or where local state and/or Federal codes specify the use of explosion-proof motors (as defined by the National Electric Code, Articles 100,500 c1990).

**CAUTION** Attach blower to solid surface before starting to prevent injury or damage from unit movement. Air containing solid particles or liquid must pass through a filter before entering the blower. Blowers must have filters, other accessories and all piping attached before starting. Any foreign material passing through the blower may cause internal damage to the blower.

**CAUTION** Outlet piping can burn skin. Guard or limit access. Mark "CAUTION Hot Surface. Can Cause Burns". Air temperature increases when passing through the blower. When run at duties above 50 in. H<sub>2</sub>O metal pipe may be required for hot exhaust air. The blower must not be operated above the limits for continuous duty. Only models R3105N-50, R4110N-50 and R4310P-50 can be operated continuously with no air flowing through the blower. Other units can only be run at the rating shown on the model number label. Do not Close off inlet (for vacuum) to reduce extra air flow. This will cause added heat and motor load. Blower exhaust air in excess of 230°F indicates operation in excess of rating which can cause the blower to fail.

**ACCESSORIES** ...Gast pressure gauge AJ496 and vacuum gauges AJ497 or AE134 show blower duty. The Gast pressure/vacuum relief valve, AG258, will limit the operating duty by admitting or relieving air. It also allows full flow through the blower when the relief valve closes.

## SERVICING

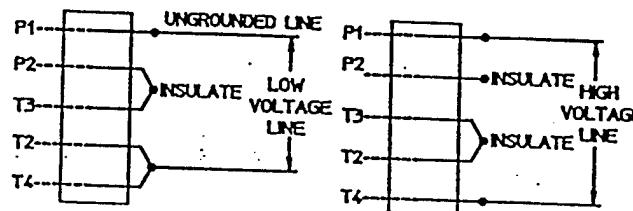
**WARNING** To retain their sealed construction they should be serviced by Gast authorized service centers ONLY. These models are sealed at the factory for very low leakage.

**WARNING** Turn off electric power before removing blower from service. Be sure rotating parts have stopped. Electric shock or severe cuts can result. Inlet and exhaust filters attached to the blower may need cleaning or replacement of the elements. Failure to do so will result in more pressure drop, reduced air flow and hotter opera-

tion of the blower. The outside of the unit requires cleaning of dust and dirt. The inside of the blower also may need cleaning to remove foreign material coating the impeller and housing. This should be done at a Gast Authorized Service Center. This buildup can cause vibration, failure of the motor to operate or reduced flow.

**KEEP THIS INFORMATION WITH THIS BLOWER.  
REFER TO IT FOR SAFE INSTALLATION,  
OPERATION OR SERVICE.**

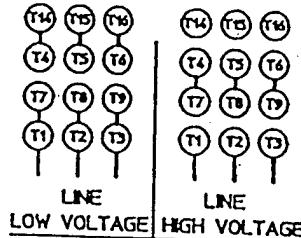
MOTOR WIRING DIAGRAM FOR R4110N-50 & R3105N-50



>>\* **WARNING**  
THIS MOTOR IS THERMALLY PROTECTED AND WILL AUTOMATICALLY RESTART WHEN PROTECTOR RESETS. ALWAYS DISCONNECT POWER SUPPLY BEFORE SERVICING.

MOTORS WIRING DIAGRAM FOR R4310P-50

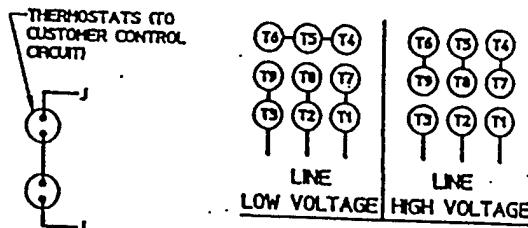
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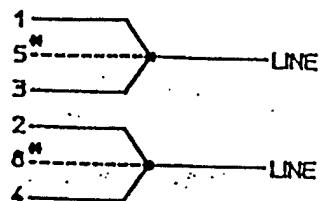
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MOTORS WIRING DIAGRAM FOR  
R5325R-50, R6350R-50, R6P355R-50, & R7100R-50

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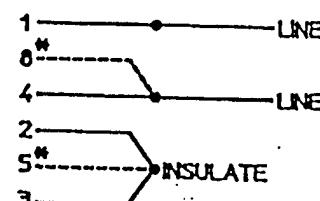


## MOTOR WIRING DIAGRAM FOR R5125Q-50 & R4P115N-50



— THERMOSTAT  
— THERMOSTAT

**LOW VOLTAGE**



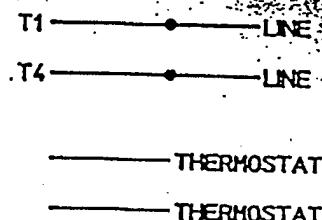
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**HIGH VOLTAGE**

\* R5125Q-50 BLOWERS PRODUCED AFTER SEPTEMBER 1992 (SER. NO. 0992)  
DO NOT HAVE MOTOR LEADS 5 & 8.

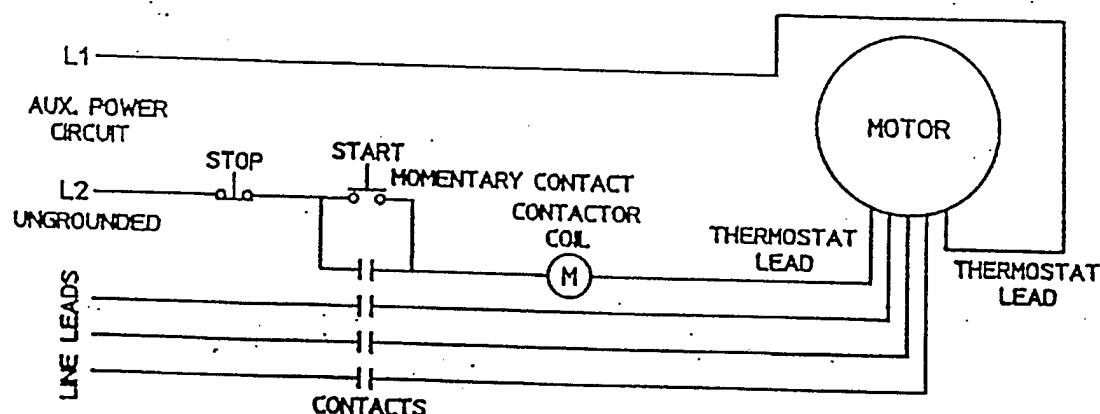
## MOTOR WIRING DIAGRAM FOR R6130Q-50 & R6P155Q-50

CONNECT THERMOSTAT  
TO MOTOR PROTECTION  
CIRCUIT



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## CONNECTION FOR THERMOSTAT MOTOR PROTECTION



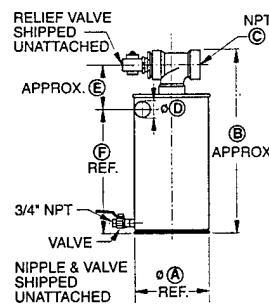
TERMOSTATS TO BE CONNECTED IN SERIES WITH  
CONTROL AS SHOWN. MOTOR FURNISHED WITH  
AUTOMATIC THERMOSTATS RATED A.C. 115-600V. 720VA

# ACCESSORIES

## Moisture Separators

Moisture separators remove liquids from the gas stream in a vacuum process, helping protect the blower from corrosion and a buildup of mineral deposits.

Part No.	Liq. Cap. (gal.)	A(dia.)	Dim. B	C(NPT)	D(dia.)	Dim. E	Dim. F
RMS160	10	14.8"	37.5"	2"	2"	7.5"	26.6"
RMS200	19	19.7"	35"	2"	2"	7.5"	26.6"
RMS300	19	19.7"	35"	2.5"	2.5"	7.5"	26.6"
RMS400	40	24"	44"	3"	3"	9.7"	29"



## Part No. Product Type Description

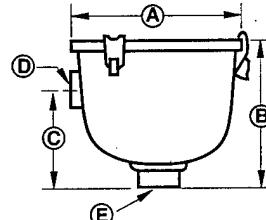
RMS160	Moisture separator	10 gallon liquid carrying capacity	R3, R4, R4P, R5 Blowers
RMS200	Moisture separator	19 gallon liquid carrying capacity	R4, R4P, R5, R6 Blowers
RMS300	Moisture separator	19 gallon liquid carrying capacity	R5, R6, R6P Blowers
RMS400	Moisture separator	40 gallon liquid carrying capacity	R6P, R7 Blowers
—	Float switch	Consult factory for appropriate style	RMS Series-Separators

## Filters

Since the blower impeller passes very close to the housing, it is always wise to have an in-line or inlet filter to ensure trouble free life.

### In-line (for vacuum)

Part No.	Dim. A	Dim. B	Dim. C	Dim. D	Dim. E
AJ151C	7.38"	6.81"	4.62"	1-1/4" FPT	1-1/4" FPT
AJ151D	7.38"	6.81"	4.62"	1-1/2" FPT	1-1/2" FPT
AJ151E	8.75"	10.25"	5.00"	2" FPT	2" FPT
AJ151G	8.00"	10.25"	5.50"	2-1/2" FPT	2-1/2" FPT
AJ151H	14.00"	26.50"	18.13"	3" MPT	3" MPT
AJ151L	14.00"	27.13"	18.50"	4" MPT	4" MPT



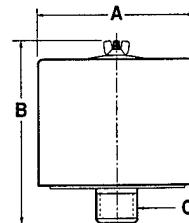
MPT = Male Pipe Thread FPT = Female Pipe Thread All are heavy-duty for high amounts of particulates.  
Inlet filters for REGENAIR® blowers are drip-proof when mounted as shown.

### For Vacuum Service

AJ151C	In-line filter	10 micron filter (replacement element AJ135E)	R3 Blower, R1H
AJ151D	In-line filter	10 micron filter (replacement element AJ135E)	R4, R4P, R3H Blowers, R2H
AJ151E	In-line filter	10 micron filter (replacement element AJ135F)	R5, R4H Blowers
AJ151G	In-line filter	10 micron filter (replacement element AJ135G)	R6, R6P Blowers, R7H, R8H, R9H
AJ151H	In-line filter	10 micron filter (replacement element AJ135C)	R7 Blower
AJ151L	In-line filter	10 micron filter (replacement element AJ135C)	R8M Blower

### Inlet (for pressure units only)

Part No.	Dim. A	Dim. B	Dim. C
AJ126C	6.00"	7.12"	1-1/4" MPT
AJ126D	7.70"	7.25"	1-1/2" MPT
AJ126F	10.63"	4.81"	2" FPT
AJ126G	10.00"	13.12"	2-1/2" MPT
AJ126L	10.00"	14.62"	4" MPT



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### For Compressor-Inlet

AJ126C	Inlet filter	10 micron filter (replacement element AJ134C)	R3 Blower, R1H, 2067, 2567
AJ126D	Inlet filter	10 micron filter (replacement element AJ134E)	80 Series, 6066, 1290, R4, R4P, R5, R3H Blowers
AJ126F	Inlet filter	25 micron filter (replacement element AG340)	R6, R6P, R4H Blowers
AJ126G	Inlet filter	10 micron filter (replacement element AJ135A)	R7 Blower, R7H, R8H
AJ126L	Inlet filter	10 micron filter (replacement element AJ135H)	R8H Blower
AL355	Inlet filter	10 micron filter	0823

# ACCESSORIES

## Pressure-Vacuum Gauge

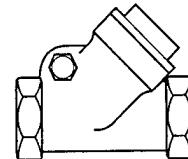
To monitor the system performance so maximum duties are not exceeded. Using two gauges (one on each side of the filter) is a great way to know when the filter needs servicing.



AJ497	Vacuum gauge	0-60" H <sub>2</sub> O, 1/4" NPT connection	Blowers
AE134	Vacuum gauge	0-160" H <sub>2</sub> O, 1/4" NPT connection	Blowers
AE134F	Vacuum gauge	0-15" HG, 1/4" NPT connection	H Series Blowers
AA644B	Pressure gauge	0-30 psi, 1/4" NPT	80 Series, 2567, 2067, 6066, 0823
AE133	Pressure gauge	0-160" H <sub>2</sub> O, 1/4" NPT connection	Blowers
AE133A	Pressure gauge	0-200" H <sub>2</sub> O, 1/4" NPT connection	Blowers
AE133F	Pressure gauge	0-15 psi, 1/4" NPT connection	R3H, R4H Blowers
AJ496	Pressure gauge	0-60" H <sub>2</sub> O, 1/4" NPT connection	SVE Blowers

## Check Valve

Designed to prevent back-wash of fluids that would enter the blower. Also prevents air back-streaming if needed. Can be mounted with discharge either vertical or horizontal. Valve will open with 3" of water pressure.



AH326D	Check valve	1-1/2" NPT (3" H <sub>2</sub> O cracking pressure)	Blowers
AH326F	Check valve	2" NPT (3" H <sub>2</sub> O cracking pressure)	Blowers
AH326G	Check valve	2-1/2" NPT (3" H <sub>2</sub> O cracking pressure)	R7 Blower

## Relief Valve

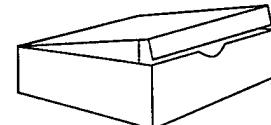
By setting a relief valve at a given pressure/vacuum you can ensure excessive duties will not harm the blower or products in your application.



AA307	Relief valve	For pressure, 3/4" NPT, adjustable 2-25 psi	6066, 2567 Series
AA600	Relief valve	For pressure, 3/8" NPT, adjustable 2-30 psi	0823
AG258	Relief valve	1-1/2" NPT adjustable 30-170" H <sub>2</sub> O, vac. or press., 200 CFM max.	Blowers
AG258F	Relief valve	2-1/2" NPT adjustable for higher flows, vacuum or pressure	Blowers
PV065	Relief valve	For pressure, pre-set for 6.5 psi, 1-1/4" NPT connection (60Hz)	R3H Blower
PV072	Relief valve	For pressure, pre-set for 7.2 psi, 1-1/4" NPT connection (60Hz)	R3H Blower
PV084	Relief valve	For pressure, pre-set for 8.4 psi, 1-1/4" NPT connection (50Hz)	R4H Blower, R8H, R9H
PV091	Relief valve	For pressure, pre-set for 9.1 psi, 1-1/4" NPT connection (50Hz)	R4H Blower, R9H
PV098	Relief valve	For pressure, pre-set for 9.8 psi, 1-1/4" NPT connection (50Hz)	R7H Blower
PV102	Relief valve	For pressure, pre-set for 10.2 psi, 1-1/4" NPT connection (60Hz)	R7H Blower
AN225	Relief valve	15-45 cfm, 3/4" NPT connection, adjustable 0-20 psi	2080, 3080, 4080 Series

## Service Kit

If pump performance on rotary vane models diminishes, installation of the Service Kit replacement parts will have it performing like new again.



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K504	Service Kit	Includes items for unit repair	6066, 1290 (uses 2)
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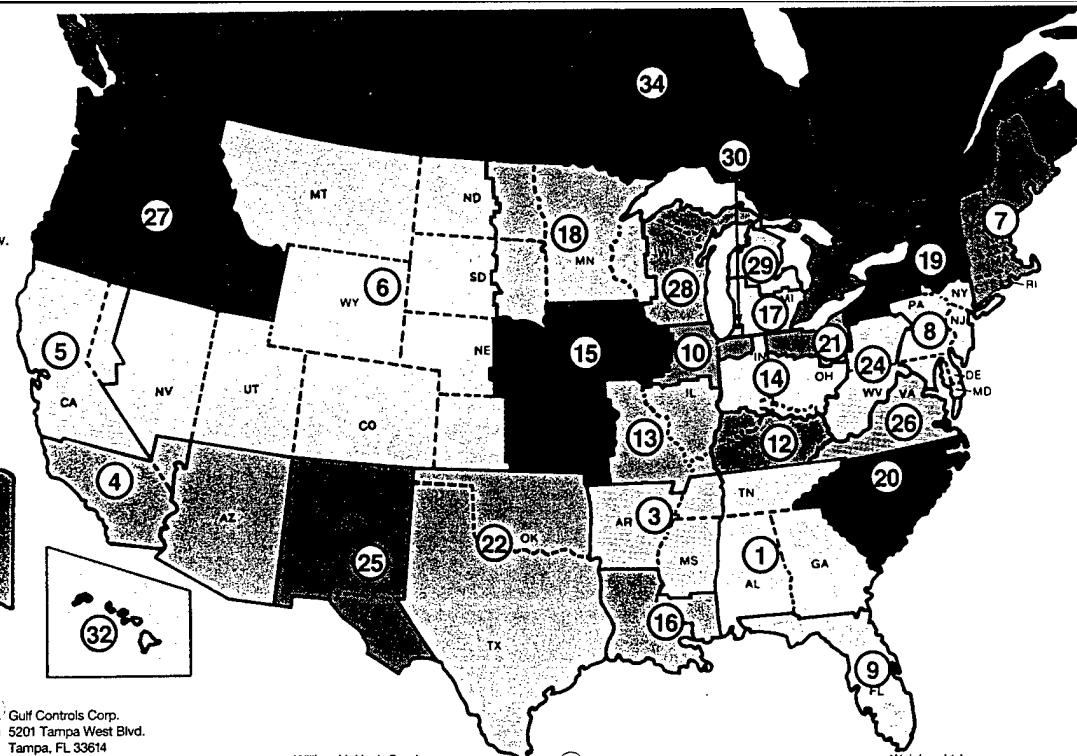
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# CONVERSION CHARTS

## PRESSURE CONVERSION TABLE

Lbs. Per Sq. Inch	Atmospheres	Inches of Mercury	Millimeters of Mercury	Inches of Water	Meters of Water	Milli Bars	Kilopascals
1	.0680	2.036	51.71	27.73	.7037	69.0	6.895
14.70	1	29.92	760	407	10.33	1013.3	101.36
.4912	.0334	1	25.4	13.6	.3452	33.86	3.387
.0193	.001315	.03937	1	.5358	.0136	1.33	.13307
.0361	.00246	.0735	1.868	1	.0254	2.49	.24891
1.422	.0967	2.895	73.55	39.37	1	97.98	9.8047
14.50	.0009869	.02953	.750	.4018	.01021	1	.09998
.145	.00986	.29529	7.4996	4.0174	.10206	10.01	1

## VOLUME FLOW CONVERSION TABLE

cfm	cfh	gpm	m³/h	l/s
1	60	7.4805	1.6990	.47195
1/60	1	.12468	.02832	.007866
.13368	8.0208	1	.22712	.06309
.58858	35.315	4.4029	1	1/3.6
2.1189	127.13	15.850	3.6	1

## Power and Heat Flow Conversion Table

hp(U.S.)	ft.lb/min	Btu/hr	Btu/min	W	kcal/min
1	33000	2544.4	42.407	745.70	10.686
.000030303	1	.07710	.001285	.02260	.0003238
.0003930	12.969	1	1/60	.29307	.004200
.02358	778.17	60	1	17.584	.25200
.00134	44.254	3.4121	.05687	1	.01433
.09358	3088.0	238.10	3.9683	69.780	1

## Temperature Conversion Chart

$$^{\circ}\text{C} = \frac{5}{9} (^{\circ}\text{F} - 32)$$

$$\text{Absolute Kelvin} = ^{\circ}\text{C} + 273.15$$

$$^{\circ}\text{F} = (\frac{5}{9} \times ^{\circ}\text{C}) + 32$$

$$\text{Rankine } ^{\circ}\text{F} = +459.67$$

### TABLE EXAMPLE:

To Convert 100 °C to °F look up 100 read left

To Convert 100 °F to °C look up to 100 read right

to °F	From	to °C
-148.0	-100	-73.33
-130.0	-90	-67.78
-112.0	-80	-62.22
-94.0	-70	-56.67
-76.0	-60	-51.11
-58.0	-50	-45.56
-40.0	-40	-40.00
-36.4	-38	-38.89
-32.8	-36	-37.78
-29.2	-34	-36.67
-25.6	-32	-35.56
-22.0	-30	-34.44
-18.4	-28	-33.33
-14.8	-26	-32.22
-11.2	-24	-31.11
-7.6	-22	-30.00
-4.0	-20	-28.89
-0.4	-18	-27.78
+3.2	-16	-26.67
+6.8	-14	-25.56
+10.4	-12	-24.44
+14.0	-10	-23.33
+17.6	-8	-22.22
+21.2	-6	-21.11
+24.8	-4	-20.00
+28.4	-2	-18.89
+32.0	0	-17.78
+35.6	+2	-16.67
+39.2	+4	-15.56
+42.8	+6	-14.44
+46.4	+8	-13.33

to °F	From	to °C
+50.00	+10	-12.22
+53.6	+12	-11.11
+57.2	+14	-10.00
+60.8	+16	-8.89
+64.4	+18	-7.78
+68.0	+20	-6.67
+71.6	+22	-5.56
+75.2	+24	-4.44
+78.8	+26	-3.33
+82.4	+28	-2.22
+86.0	+30	-1.11
+89.6	+32	0.00
+93.2	+34	+1.11
+96.8	+36	+2.22
+100.4	+38	+3.33
+104.0	+40	+4.44
107.6	42	5.56
111.2	44	6.67
114.2	46	7.78
118.4	48	8.89
122.0	50	10.00
125.6	52	11.11
129.2	54	12.22
132.8	56	13.33
136.4	58	14.44
140.0	60	15.56
143.6	62	16.67
147.2	64	17.78
150.8	66	18.89
154.4	68	20.00
158.0	70	21.11

to °F	From	to °C
161.6	72	22.22
165.2	74	23.33
168.8	76	24.44
172.4	78	25.56
176.0	80	26.67
179.6	82	27.78
183.2	84	28.89
186.8	86	30.00
190.4	88	31.11
194.0	90	32.22
197.6	92	33.33
201.2	94	34.44
204.8	96	35.56
208.4	98	36.67
212.0	100	37.78
230.0	110	43.33
248.0	120	48.89
266.0	130	54.44
284.0	140	60.00
302.0	150	65.56
320.0	160	71.11
338.0	170	76.67
356.0	180	82.22
374.0	190	87.78
392.0	200	93.33
410.0	210	98.89
428.0	220	104.44
446.0	230	110.00
464.0	240	115.56
482.0	250	121.11

## **Warranty**

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**APPENDIX C**  
**DATA COLLECTION SHEETS**

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SWMU 55 (SITE FT-03)  
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